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GRAYLING, MICHIGAN, JUNE 7, 1917.

talks were given by Lieut. C. M. Col-

eguear, who is at the Hanson State

military reservation, by order of the

war department. Among his remarks

he mentioned the personnel of the

Mr. Choate, who spoke in the after-

noon, gave a fine lecture on the Red

began in Switzerland in 1857 and it

was as late as 1882 before the Red

are: Hans Petersen, Grayling.

O. P. Schumann, Grayling.

Mrs. S. S. Phelps, Grayling.

Mrs. L. J. Kraus, Grayling.

Mrs. Thos. Cassidy, Grayling

T. W. Hanson, Grayling.

Marius Hanson, Grayling.

Dr. S. N. Insley, Grayling.

James F. Knibbs, Maple Forest.

Frank E. Love, Beaver Creek

Oliver B. Scott, South Branch

The directors thus elected held

Mrs. L. J. Kraus, Vice chairman; Mrs.

Olar N. Michelson, secretary and Mar-

Commencement Week.

laureate address will be delivered by

Rev. J. J. Riess on-Sunday evening,

tion should have a large attendance.

have a crowded house as usual. The

Mothers are asked to leave their

crying of children. We must have

In order to accommodate all who de

sons. Clark's orchestra has been en-

the benefit of the Red Cross society.

The exercises will all be held in the

ng. The public is very cordially in-

vited to attend these various exercises

which mark the close of the school

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Peterson, Axel Peterson, Carl Doroh,

Howard Granger, Frank Shanahan

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misunderstanding in the minds of

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Arthur Karpus and Russell Lewis

A. A. Ellsworth, Supt.

Next week is commencement week

James E. Kellogg, Lovells

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290 YOUNG MEN REGISTER

TUESDAY WAS BIG were named and while these were making out their reports splendid

Tuesday. June S, was Registration in the ranks. day, were quickly and emphatically teminded when at 7:00 a. m. the blow ing of factory whistles and ringing of Cross. He told of its inception and of church bells heralded their messages its slow process of development. It that the time had arrived.

DAY FOR GRAY-

LING.

The registrars-Supervisor Bates, Township Clerk Harry Hill and Vil- Cross was a national affair in this lage Clerk T. P. Peterson, were alcountry. Today the Red Cross is or-ready at the Town hall and promptly ganized in practically every city in at the appointed hour the work of re- the land. In Michigan within another gistration in Grayling township began, week it is expected that there will be Frank Sales was number one and the an organization in every county. above clerks followed with receipts No. 2 and 3.

Thru the courtesy and patriotism of is one of mercy, and in war times has each young man was handed his re- workings of this organization-in-some ceipt he was decorated with one of these later edition. badges of honor pinned around his

Computing on a basis of 25% of the evening made their reports. Suitable voting attength in the township it was by-laws were adopted and also a board estimated that in Grayling there would of directors nominated. The latter be about 150 to register, however before the noon hour this mark was passed and at the time for closing-9:00 p. m., the magnificent number of 290 had been reached.

At 3:00 p. m., a parade composed of the Grayling band; about sixty of the registered men, wearing arm bands; school children and a long line of autos, all headed by the marshal of the day. Charles Amidon, left the school house. They passed to the South side school where they were joined by oth er children, thence across to Cedar street to the business section of the

Immediately after the parade, the crowd assembled about the corners of Michigan avenue and Cedar street and listened to two fine patriotic speeches by Mayor T. Hanson and by Ward N. Choate, of Detroit. Mayor Hanson expressed, his appreciation of the loyalty and patriotism exhibited by his home people that day, and said it was the greatest day in the history of our city. His spiendid words of pariotism roused the spirits of those about him to a higher sense of loyalty June 10, at seven o'clock. This functo our country and the flag.

The other speaker, Mr. Choate, of It is worthy of much more recognition Detroit, is chairman of the state speak- than it ordinarily receives. You are ers bureau in the cause of the Liberty assured that you will hear a good adoan. He happened to be in the city dress. On-Tuesday evening will occur in relation to the Bond loan and re- the annual Class Day exercises. sponded readily to an invitation to These are always good and we shall neak to our people

His words held his audience's undi- commencement address will be given vided attention. He poured forth his by Dr. S. Arthur Cook of Sault Ste tessage of how it became necessary Marie, on Wednesday evening. Subfor America to enter the war, and of ject, the ready response from the people Cook is not only an orator of note but that they were ready to back the Press he is also the author of severel books, cessary they will not hesitate to go ident's declaration with their lives, if man ármies in Belgium and France. His words of denunciation of Kaiser the very best of order. Children under Wilhelm, the king of Austria and em-twelve-years of age are requested not peror of Germany, could not but help to attend unless accompanied by paro arouse the spirit of his listeners and ents. Persons found loitering about OFF. The imperial rulers of the turbers and will be treated accordingonce wonderful German nation have 19. dragged their proud kulter in the dust and smeared it with the blood of sons sire to attend you are asked to sit two or the noblest nations of the earth, in a seat as far as possible. Each re-Surely if there be an eternal Hell, served seat ticket is good for two per-Wilhelm and his imperial staff will be incarcerated there forever; gaged for Tuesday and Wednesday and may the wails of the millions evenings. On each of these two evenwho have been made to suffer thru the lings a collection will be taken up for vile practices of his armies be forever ringing in their ears. Were there ever such monsters before on Earth? The school auditorium and will begin at people-the German people, are equal eight o'clock except on Sunday even sufferers with the rest of the nations,

and are to be pitied. The young men wearing arm bands which came in for much deserved praise. year. They responded nobly to the call to register and no doubt if the draft comes, each and every young man who registered in Grayling and Crawford county, will meet it bravely and willingly. Before the world can be better there must yet be much blood apilled, but in the interest of humanity

we will make the sacrifice. Both Mayor Hanson and Mr. Choate were frequently applauded during their remarks.

The meeting at the school house at 7:30 that night for the purpose of or-has been registered under the Regis-ganizing a Red Cross chapter for tration Act, he may yet volunteer for Crawford county brot out a magnifi-cent audience. It seemed that the drafted. After he is drafted, we can people were so full of the spirit of the not accept him for a voluntary enlistday that they just simply couldn't ment in the Regular establishment.

stay away. It was a splendid gather.

One main advantage in enlisting

ing.

The meeting was called to order by to choose the branch in which they Mayor T. Hanson and opened with wish to serve provided vacancies exist

prayer by Rev. J. J. Riess.

Matters started right off in a business kind of way. Mayor Hanson was
made temporary chairman and Mrs.

Olaf N. Michelson temporary secretary. Committees on by-laws and for Leave orders at C. J. Hathaway's

Jewelry store, Grayling, Phone 1273.

in that branch.

The Skingley hotel at Higgins lake will open for business Sunday, June 10 with a chicken dinner. The price will be \$1.00 per plate. Hotel located Jewelry store, Grayling, Phone 1273.

SWEENEY-SIMPSON. An early June wedding was that of

Miss Margaret Sweeney, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James J. Sweeney of this city, and Mr. Ebenezer Simpou, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs Walter Simpson of Hulyoke, Mass., who were united in marriage Monday at high nuon at St. Mary's parsonage. Rev. Fr. J. J. Riess performed the ceremony, and the only attendants were Miss Carrie Loskos and Mr. Leon La Motte.

Immediately following the ceremony the wedding party went to Shoppenagon's Inn where a splendid four course dinner was served. Mr. Andrey Simpson, a brother of the groom of Holyoke, Mass., was an out-of-town guest.

The happy young couple will make their home in Grayling, where Mr. Simpson has a good position at the Du

Juniors Give Pretty Annual Affair. The Social affairs of the school sea son were brot to a close last Friday The story of the Red Cross, as told and banquet was given by the Juniors.

This was a pigasaut and very pretty by Mr. Choate, is beautiful. Its work affair. The bauquet was served at the ladies of the W. R. C. arm bands, become indispensable. We hope to be 6:00, and the guests included, the size 2x17 inches, were provided and as able to publish more details as to the members of the Board of Education and their wives, the faculty and the members of the Senior and Junior classes. The color scheme of the din-After the closing of the addresses ner table was carried out in red and the committees appointed early in the green. - Large vases of red carnations adorned the centers of the table, which were lighted by library lamps. Clark's three piece orchestra furnised splendid-music-during-the dinner. Supt. A. A. Ellsworth acted as toastmaster, and each member of the school board, and faculty responded to toasts, as well as the presidents of both classes, Arthur Karpus of the Senior class, and Roy Case of the Juniors.

> At 8:30 the guests went to the gym uasium, where dancing was enjoyed until 12:30 o'clock. To this many were invited and a very pleasant evening was had. Misses Laudra Nielsen of Flint, Grace Carpenter of Detroit and Mr. Earl Cady of Lansing were out of town guests.

meeting later and elected as permanent Michigan Food Preparedness Committee.

The Michigan Food Preparednes committee have requested the Agricultural-agents to appoint a County for our local high school. The baccathe Mayors and Village presidents.

This committee is purely honorary great extent, except in the matter of answering an occasional letter and supplying the Agricultural agent with such information as may be in their possession relative to the wants in their-various-localities-as to seed-la

-However it-may become-necessary to call on the men composing the com mittee for more than this as time goes "The Educational Ideal." Dr. of the highest order, and that if nenecessary. He painted word pictures babies at home. These exercises are or thing may be omitted to cause the land to produce more food."

Agricultural agent for County is Wm. F. Johnston of Ros common, and he will welcome com munications of the wants of the various neighborhoods. This is especially romote the desire to arm and BE the corridors will be considered as dis- true regarding labor for harvesting which is the next great thing before us. He has lists of men who want to work on farms in Michigan. Of course these men will have to have steady work as they will be brot from a considerable distance. One man from Brookport, N. Y. has already been placed in this county. The following are the names and

addresses of the various members of the Crawford County committee

Crawford County Committee.

BEAVER CREEK TOWNSHIP. Sup. Frank Love-Roscommon Homer G. Benedict-Grayling. Arthur Kile-Roscommon.

Mayor T. W. Hanson-Grayling. Allen Failing-Grayling. John Niederer-Grayling. FREDERIC TOWNSHIP.

TTY OF GRAYLING.

Sup. Charles Craven-Frederic. E. Forbush-Frederic. J. A. Kalahar-Frederic GRAYLING TOWNSHIP.

Sup. M. A. Bates-Grayling.

John Stephan-Grayling. Perry Ostrander-Roscommon, R. 1 LOVELLS TOWNSHIP Sup. Jas. E. Kellogg-Lovelis. Alfred Nephew-Lovells.

Ray Owens-Lovells. MAPLE FOREST TOWNSHIP. Sup. J. F. Knibbs-Frederic.

A. J. Charron-Frederic.

Conrad Howse-Frederic SOUTH BRANCH TOWNSHIP. Sup. O. B. Scott-Cov. E. P. Richardson-Roscommon.

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Fourth-Every person entering this store is sure to be accorded utmost courtesy.

Fifth—It is our desire that you increase your patronage with us and also that you bring your friends here. We want your friendship as well as patronage and will do our utmost to make things so agreeable that you will think of the Emil Kraus Dry Goods Store as your down-town headquarters. You are now and always heartily welcome.

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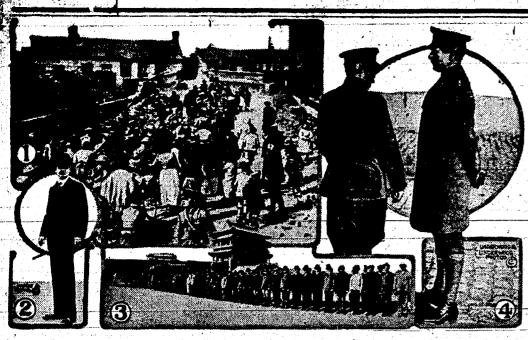
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1—Populace of one of the French villages recovered from the Germans welcoming the allied troops that released m. 2—Bernard Baruch, member of the advisory council of national defense, who was suggested as purchasing agent for all the allied governments, but advised that the work be done by a commission. 3-Volunteer company of Americans in Peking, which was formed four days after war was declared and which drills five times a week. 4-Latest photograph of King Albert of Belgium, conferring with one of his generals at the front.

his conscience out and look at it, for | Trieste, though the forward move it is certainly sick." | ment slackened considerably and much

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can help her,

of their vessels.

the world."

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of the time was given to consolidating

the positions already won, and beating

off the furious counter-assaults of the

Austrians. The Italians captured Sar

Trieste, and it was reported that all

the Austrians did not hope to hold pos-

session of it much longer. The evident

itz_the_Italians. made-some further

opposition are considered, and their

bravery and high spirit are unsur-

In France there was violent artil-

lery firing through the week, and the combats in the air were numerous and

spectacular. Again the aillied airmen

monstrated their superiority over

those of the German army, The Brit-

The lull in the activity of other

time it is predicted that the Germans

are preparing a tremendous effort to

smash France before American troops

Another marked decrease in the

number of British ships sunk by sub-

imrines is noted in the weekly admir

The Brazilian chamber of deputies

cree of heurrality, and the senate fol-

lowed this up by authorizing an alli-

ance of Brazil-with other states to

defend the American republics against

To Organize Farm Labor.

The department of agriculture an-

nounced the government's detailed

plan for the organization of farm la-

bor, The work already has been started in 40 states. The plan pro-

vides for strictly local handling of all

labor problems that can be adjusted

locally. The fundamental unit of the

organization is the "community man"

who, with the assistance of such com-

mittees as he may appoint, canvasses

farmers need help and what men are

available for supplying the local need.

heen made, there remains either, a

deficit or a surplus of labor, he reports

it is to effect adjustments in his coun-

ty. The county man, in turn, reports

man," who canvasses the situation for

the state as a whole and reports to

spent the week in revamping the war

evenue-bill. In the house the food

survey bill, the lesser of the govern-

ment's two food mensures, was passed

-On Thursday the house by a vote of

184 to 144, returned the esplonage bill

to the conference committee of the

two houses with instructions to elimi-

nate the press-censorship section on

had been insistent. The senate at-

ready had voted against the provision

The house was influenced considerably

had been suppressing the truth about

was shown later that the senate had

in the navy and the primitive condi-

Mattoon and Charleston being the

worst sufferers. About 300 lives were

lost, and the property damage was

lowed by others farther south in the

Mississippi valley that killed about 70

were forced to labor,

more persons,

health conditions in the navy, and-i

adoption of which the president

charges that the administration

and deficit of surplus to the

the department of agriculture.

The finance committee of the

"county man," whose husiness

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NEWS REVIEW OF THE PAST WEEK

America is Preparing, Without Panicky Haste, for War of Several. Years.

SUPPLY COMMISSION FOR ALL

Government Suppresses Agitators Against Conscription-Military Situation in Russia improved-Itallans Steadily Pushing Toward Trieste-Plans for Organizing Farm Labor in U. S.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD.

The United States anticipates from three to five more years of war, and is preparing for it on a tremendous scale, basing its plans on the idea that defeat of the central powers will depend largely on America. France and are counted on to hold the Germans back on the west front, while Italy keeps the Austrians busy in the Trieste and Trentino regions, until the Though a hundred thousand or more Americans will be on the fighting front this year, it is not expected that our armies will appear there in great strength before 1918. This much of its plans the government allowed to be known last week. President Wilson, was said, expects to send a million men-to-France-next-year-and-amothermillion the following year if neces-

Instead of paulcky haste, careful consideration is governing the movements of the government. To co-ordi nate the needs of the allies and fur. United States. the enormous quantities of munitions and other supplies they must have is perhaps the most pressing problem, and during the week the cabplies aggregating \$10,000,000,000 a year and their distribution to the various countries. This it is planned, is to be by a commission, rather than by one man, and such is the advice of Bernard Baruch, who had been suggested for the position. The war of Great Britain and France formally agreed to the creation of such a commission, and the Italian commissioners, now in this country, doubtless will assent, Incidentally, Italy wants to borrow several hundred millions from the United States,

Preparing for Registration,

Preparations for the registration of June 5 of all men between the ages of twenty-one and thirty for service in the National army went forward rapidly throughout the country, and, with a blush of shame be it said. schemes were sprung in many localities to defent the success of the army law and to fight against conscription. In Texas and West-Virginia-organiza tions for this purpose were uncovered, and in those states and many other places arrests were made by the secret service men. Federal officers everywhere were instructed to kee watch over meetings at which there might be agitation against registra tion and to arrest the speakers. It some instances it was shown beyond doubt that German influences and Ger man money were behind the demon

Chicago, New York and other cities were the scene of meetings of Socialists, pacifists, conscientious objectors other intentional or unintentiona aids of the kaiser. These gatherings the demand that the United States government at once announce its war sims in definite and concrete terms and make peace as soon as those ims are achieved. The Socialists, m cording to their leaders, are concerned chiefly in spreading their doctrine throughout the world and see in th war a fine opportunity to accomplish As for the conscientious object tors, one may well quote Colone Day address: "If any man is too conscientious to fight he ought to take

As registration day approached the number of cowards fleeing the country to avoid the draft increased. A great many crossed the borders into Mexico and Canada, and considerable numbers went to Cuba. All decent citizens join in the hope that these creatures will never have the impu-dence to return to the United States. President Wilson, loath to abandon

day Issued an urgent call for 100,000 more volunteers to bring the regular army up to full strength:
What is Doing in Russia.

Developments of the week in Rus sia were both encouraging and dis conraging. Admittedly the fate of that new republic is in the hands Kerensky and he lins taken a firm stand in the matter of restoring discipline in the army. The soldlers seem villing to submit, and are giving evi dence of a renewed intention to continue the fight against the central pow They have been heartened fo this by the injunctions and appeals the councils of pensants' and work men's deputies and by the exhortations of government officials. This state of affairs is recognized by German, in a statement that an early offensive by

The most discouraging news fro Russla was contained in a statement United States can raise equip and by Maister of Finance Shingaron that train its immense National army, the industrial crisis is so acute that the industrial crisis is so neute that only a miracle can saventhe country from economic ruln. The demands of the workmen are so enormous that most of the industrial enterprises working for the national defense will be compelled to close down before ang -- On top of this comes the formal demand of the troops at the front that they be supplied with enough munitions to fight on an equal plane with the other belligerents.-

the Russians is expected.

A hopeful note was sounded or Tuesday by Prof. Boris Bakhmetieff, the new Russian ambassador to the Reaching Tokyo his way to this country, he said: "I am immensely satisfied with conditions in Russin, including Siberta. I think the new regime is carrying on the net discussed the creation of the vast work of reorganization successfully machinery for the purchase of sup- and will soon be able to launch an of-

fensive against the enemy." Russia's official position seems as anomolous as ever, for she still insists she will be faithful to her allies, and in the same breath demands that peace be made on terms that cannot conceivably be accepted by those ailles.

President Sende Note to Russia. President Wilson last week dispatched a note to Russia's provisional government designed to pave the way for the Root commiss Russia an idea of the war aims of the United States. He set forth that America is in the war to "make the world safe for democracy," and that t seeks "no indomnities for ourselves. no material compensation for the sac rifices we shall freely make," but makes it clear that there must be indemnity for innocent nations laid in ruins, like Belgium.

Maxim Gorky, the noted author, publishes in his paper a sensational account of an attempt by D. Rizow, But garian_minister_to_Berlin, to induce him to enter into negotiations for a separate peace. Rizow's proposition was that Russia conclude an immediarmistice with Germany and Austria, both belligerents retaining their present fronts, and a Russian constituent-assembly meet at once to decide

The Socialist party of France last eek decided to send delegates to the Stockholm conference, but the rejoicing of the Teutons over this is justified, for it appears the Frenchmen concluded it would not be sufe to leave the Russian Socialists alone with the German delegates. The German and Austrian Socialists set forth their peace program, a program which might well be acceptable to the two emperors who have given up hopes of crushin ing for peace at almost any price, and the kniser's control over the dual monarchy was weakened by the appoint ment of Count Julius Andrassy mier of Hungary to succeed Tisza.

Italians Move Toward Tricete. The Italians and Austrians did most of the actual fighting last week. Cadorna's men pressed on further toward

SUMMARY OF IMPORTANT HAP PENINGS IN FAR OFF NORTHLAND.

Resume of the Most Important Events in Sweden, Norway and Denmark-Of Interest to the Scandinavians in America.

ITEMS FROM THE OLD HOME

DENMARK

A fisherman at Shekkersten lost his ax through the ice. The water was so deep that he could not see it, and it would have puzzled a less inventive mind than that of our fisher man to recover the ax. He tied a fish to a 10-foot line, fastened the other end of the line to a rock, tied a rope to the rock, and sunk the rock and the fish to the bottom of the sea through the hole where the ax had dropped You bet it worked! When an ax drops into the water its handle always stands up straight, of course. When the fish got to the bottom he began to swim around to get lose. But all that accomplished was that he wound his line around the ax handle. The next morning the fisherman simply had to pull in the rope, and up came the ock, the ax, and the fish.

Jucobsen's Kvase," a famous wooden ship, had to be cut up into fuel the leave the latter city, indicating that on the water any longer even nowadays, when it seems as though anything that floats can make its owner rich plan of the Italians was to move on This particular ship became famous in Trieste along the coast of the Adrintic, a terrible storm in 1872, It was moored avoiding the mountainous country far- at Stettin when the storm broke loose ther north and obtaining the aid of Soren Jacobsen was the only man-in British warships. Northeast of Gor- that harbor who dured to cut his way out of the harbor through the storm progress. The achievements of the and the waves. It looked like perdi-Italian soldiers in this offensive are tion dead sure. But he saved his thip. truly wonderful, when the nature of while every other vessel in the harbor the country and the strength of the was dashed against the shore and

NORWAY.

The following might apply to almost any large American city this spring. though it was written by a close observer of the conditions in Christiania ish aviators have been especially acearly in the spring: "All vacant lots tive, and in night flights have dropped and and in night flights have dropped and open spaces inside the city limits tons of explosives on military are put under the plow. We have 40 establishments of the enemy far back acres of good sold on Thors 45 acres at Frogner outside of the regular park. At the Ekeberg manor we have 13 acres, and an equal area presage another big offensive, and this at the Berg estate. The entire Etterstad plain lies unused. And there are many other parcels of ground. thousand two hundred persons have reported-that they wish to raise potatoes-2,200 city families who suddenly become farmers in the city. Eachone of these spare-hour farmers is to alty report. Among the vessels lost have 225 square yards of ground. The were a hospital ship and an armored poor people of the city will have 150 cruiser.—Spain-and Norway were fur acres of good potato ground at their ther aggravated by the sinking of more disposal. It is figured out that they will get about 180 bushels to the acre. making the whole crop 27,000 bushels inthorized the revocation of the de. This will be a good lift to the poor people of our city. The moral proceeds will be still more valuable. The city sees that the ground is plowed. man quoted above has a friend who is rather philosophically-inclined, and he elaborated the situation in the following manner: "From below is that growing-which is-to-bring-a-new-era, and expressed deepest-regret at the I really believe that this great war, which Kaiser Wilhelm has prepared and put-in operation, and which is now distinguished by his splendid undersea weapons, will sweep the fields clean in Europe. But the princes by the grace of God and the bureaucracy by the grace of God and other idolatry will pass away, and men will return ists at Stockholm and appealing to the to the earth and cultivate it. As in city, all fields enough to cultivate, if people only can get at them. And the common man will learn to go by the best people, who are not aristocrats and will not ask for pay for their help and advice."

There was a feeling of satisfaction in Norway when the United States en- protection against future attack.' tered the war, not so much because the Norwegians sided with the allies. is because they thought the entrance of America would hasten the end of the conflict. Norway may sever diplomatic relations with Germany, Eyery effort is being made to preserve neutrality, but the situation is becomwegian vessels sunk by German submarines. The people of Norway are plowing vacant-lots and agriculture is false principle." encouraged. Prices are higher and the farmers probably are better off than efore. During the cold weather theaters in Norway were permitted to open only once a week, because of the fuel shortage.

There will be no burning of kelp kept secret a report of Surgeon Gen-eral Braisted describing the epidemics along the beach of Jaderen this year. the German submarines making it so risky to ship kelp ashes across the sea ions under which the medical officers that the foreign ledide factories are not going to get raw materials from Two destructive tornadoes swent Norway as in former years. This through central Illinois, the towns of means a serious loss to the people of Jaderen and Karmoen,

> The storthing employs no less than 16 regular stenographers. It is exactly 60 years since provisions were made for taking stenographic reports of the proceedings.

The Norwegian legation at Berlin, according to a dispatch from Copen-hagen, reports that the Norwegian teamers Laly, Najaden, C. Sundt and Garant have been torpedoed by German submarines. Members of the crews of each vessel lost their lives.

The food and fuel problem has bees serious in Norway, and if the war continues throughout the coming dater the government probably will fix a limited ration rule and adopt a requirement that ne person can heat more than two rooms.

FINLAND.

Jun Jansen, a Finnish clerk in a Rus-

sian bank, says that Finland wants Finnish schoolhouses—with Finland's flag floating above them-filled with Finnish children tearning their own language, literature and history. The Finnish people want the right to pursue their own way unmolested: They are ready to believe that the war not only will give them the right, but that. through the Russian revolution, it has already done so. Full freedom from Russian rule is not expected; but selfgovernment in all affairs that solely concern Finland is part of the people's demand. They wish to manage their business affairs, to continue the development of their country, their road and harbor building, for the benefit of themselves. Above all they want their nationality preserved. Finland's complaint against Russia, now happily dissolving, was only a dozen years old. said Mr. Jansen. It dated from that Sunday. Mr. Root bears extra reactionary regime which follow- tiary powers to act for the czar's concessions to the people in 1905, sought to upset all the benefits a message from the state department granted Finland. Since that time, Jansen declared, Russian governors sent to govern Finland have devoted themselves largely to the difficult task of stamping out the identity of the Finns the United States is fighting for as a separate people. "Van Seyn tried how far it will go. It was cabled to make moutiks out of the Finns," he several days ago, but was withheld said. "The Finns are a peaceful, pa- from publication in America as a matsaid. "The Finns are a peaceful, patient people. It is hard to see what the old regime feared from them. Pos sibly, it was simply a way of extort mands, they might be called of Aming money; 30,000,000 marks have been crica as set forth in President Wiltaken angually in taxes for the im-perial government in recent years, purt somewhat as follows: of this being spent in maintenance of Russian officials and troops in Finland."

SWEDEN.

that the Swedish steame

Vesterland, Aspen and Viken, lader with grain from England, had been sunk by German submarines was re-ceived May 19 in Stockholm and caused much indignation. The arrival of the steamships had been engerly awaited. The message which told of the sink ing said that eight members of the crew of the Viken and two men aboard the Vesterland had been lost. News papers united in voicing indignation at the torpedoing of the three steam ers. The Stockholm Tidningen captions it's article, "The Germans' Das turdly Deed Against Sweden. characterizes it as a "deliberate and bloody crime," The Dagen's Nyheter says: "Our German kinderland-as i is fond of calling itself—is drawing heavy drafts on the sympathies which for which our land has been forced hear so many onkind we Germany's opponents." The Nyheter electric lights Saturday night and all declares no intelligent German need interurban traffic operated by elecwonder that his country has so few friends in the world. The Stockholm at Linwood, 35 miles north of here Dagblad says: "It was sympathy for was tied up, as the result of a typical Germany as well as provisions for Indiana cyclone which incapacitated Sweden that went down with the the plant at 5 p.m. Saturday, ships." The Svenska Dagbindet says: The cyclone swept in a se "It is plain that the Germans are proceeding without the slightest elemen- ern section of Bay county. Perhaps a tory regard for our rights as neutrals." hundred buildings were wrecked by can prevent the greatest bitterness livestock likewise escaped. The damfrom prevailing in Sweden, says the Dagbladet. Germany's enemies, it adds, could not have desired better agitation material. The Viken was a new vessel, built in 1916, and was on ited this section. first trip. She was of 1,820 tons gross. The Vesterland was of 4,018 Aspen was of 3,103 tons gross and volts, were torn down for a half-a-mile, tons gross and built in 1907. The built 20 years ago. The German min-ister at Stockholm is reported to have visited the Swedish foreign minister sinking of the Swedish steamers Vesterland, Viken and Aspen.

A committee representing the Dutch and Scandinavian socialists has issued a long manifesto explaining the rea son for calling the conference of socialsocialists of the world to participate. The committee hopes to come to an agreement with representatives of the Russian council of workmen's and soldiers' deferates, who are expected in Stockholm. Hjalmar Branting, editor of the Social Demokraten, said that Swedish socialists could not approve former Premier Asquith's third entegory of annexations that are not aunexations-those covering "strategic said: "This is the same unfortunate line of thought which in 1872 induced Blamarck to persist in the demand for Metz, an ab solutely French city, but a fortress which appealed to the German general staff. The Internationale must -reject such ideas regardless of from ing strained because of the many Nor- if the Germans-demanded Liege and Antwerp. We should protest also if the British tried to carry out the same

> The government put an embargo on the exportation of almost all kinds of foodstuffs May 3. Among the articles may be mentioned pork, all kinds of fish, fruits, and vegetables.

H. Friedlander, a Stockholm whole sale merchant, commemorated his ser enty-fifth birthday anniversary by turning over a donation of \$40,000 to the king in order to enable young men to pursue military studies abroad.

Many livery barns have been closed both in the cities and the rural districts on account of the high cost horse feed.

To carry the mails of captives of war has cost the post office department of Sweden \$1,350,000.

The city of Marstrans had a light and food famine at the same time, the electric plant going on a strike and the means of communication to the city being demoralized. Fortunately the trouble did not inst long.

The late J. F. Hakansson, a Stockolm banker, willed \$300,000 to the institution for the aid of worthy poor.

Miss Sara Sundberk, the oldest ner son in Goteborg, died at the age of one bundred and four years.

AMERICAN MISSION LANDS IN RUSSIA

MESSAGE OUTLINING WAR AIMS OF U. S. ARRIVES BY CABLE AT SAME TIME.

CRUSH KAISER, FIRST AIM

President Also Asks Freedom of Seas Ban On Submarines and Protect tion for Small Nations.

headed by Elihu Root, former secre tary of state, arrived at a Russian port

Washington-The American mission

outlining the war aims of the United States was cabled to the de facto gov rnment of Russia. The message sets forth clearly what

ter of courtesy to Russia. The peace aims-or the peace deson's communication may be divided

1. Crushing of militarism and aban- United States government, but the donment of heavy armaments as a war department declined to accept the guarantee against junkerism again plunging the world into a sea of blood. This is the demand of democracythat it may be made safe against the onslaughts of an imperial clique.

2. Freedom of the seas and restric- ton: tion of the use of submarines as a weapon of offense. Crews of merchant vessels must be assured safety.

3. Querantees that will hold small nations and their rights will be respected. This includes the recreation and indemnity of Belgium, Ser bia and other little countries wiped out by the Germans, as well as the establishment so far as possible of borders on racial lines. A Jewish re-construction of a two-squadron aviaoutgrowths of the war and this is far army fliers will receive final training vored by the United States

CYCLONE HITS BAY COUNTY

Hundred Buildings Wrecked-No Casualties Reported.

Saginaw-Bay City, Flint, Jackson, tricity from the Au Sable power plant

from Midland through the northwest-No theoretical defenses by Germany the storm; but no one was injured and age was \$25,000. Tops of several barns were carried across 40 acre fields. It Requirements of Attles and Neutrals was one of the first circular wind storms, settlers say, that has ever vis-

The wires from the Au Sable power plant, which carry a load of 140,000

52,000 TEUTONS CAPTURED

Paris War Office Epitomizes Gains of Allies Since April 1.

Paris -- An official communication issued by the war office says that from April 1 to June 1, 52,000 German pris-

Included in the enormous material consumers to eat less wheat than taken from the enemy during the usual and eat more of other cereals. cannon, 1.000 machine guns and a con- es will be established as soon as the

siderable number of trench guns. Since April 1, the British have ad act become laws. At present, the allivanced on a front of 20 miles from es and neutral countries are purchas-Loos to South of Bullecourt to an expling in large quantities for future detreme depth of six miles east of Arras. livery. There is no guarantee that Field Marshal Haig's men have taken all these deliveries will be made, as Vimy ridge, dominating the plains to this government may hold up contracts Douai and have virtually surrounded to assure of an adequate food supply Lens and St. Quentin and have held at home. their gains against desperate and re-German attacks, while inflict

ing heavy losses. In the same time the French have advanced along a 15-mile front north of the Aisne and seized the hights dominating the valley of the Ailette river, the last natural defense before Laon., In Champagne, the French troons in intranid attacks, have gained the hights of Mont Carnillet, Casque, the Teton and Mont Haut, to gains have been held. Repeated attacks by the German crown prince against the captured zones have been | cas. made without avail and he has expended thousands of lives in fruitless efforts to regain the lost ground.

Gov. Albert E. Sleeper was the chief speaker at Charlotte's first community banquet. Congressman J. M. C. Smith and Lieutenant-Governor Dickinson were also speakers.

Grand Rapids-United States agents raided Socialist headquarters here They seized a quantity of semi-sedi tious literature and the names of all editor of the Charlevoix Sentinel, and persons enrolled in the party in Grand Ranids. It was claimed that Grand was acquitted of contempt charges on Rapids is the hub of a wheel of dis loyalty which is slowly covering western Michigan.

Hillsdale—Thomas Dresser died from injuries suffered when an automobile in which he was riding was hit by a New York Central train. William Smith was seriously injured. They farmed near Litchfield.

Detroit-Red Cross Ambulance company No. 8 probably will be the first Shreveport, La., states that Frank medical unit to leave Michigan for Pease, an Albion man who moved to American expedition arrives

BIG BERTHA" INVENTOR DIES



LOUIS GATHMANN.

Washington-Louis Gathmann inventor of the "big Berthas," as the howitzers used by the Germans are called, died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Thomas Foley, here. No. sooner had Mr. Gathman's invention been patented than it

first offered the "big Bertha" to the tender. Mr. Gathmann was born in Ger-

snapped up by Germany. Gathmann

many in 1843, coming to this country in the last year of the Civil war and taking up his residence in Washing

AIRMEN TO TRAIN IN FRANCE

U. S. Recruits Will Get Final Lessons in French Battle Planes.

-Washington-Contracts have been awarded to an American firm for the tion field in France, where American before taking their places at the front. Final training will be in French battle-planes and under French instructors, the aircraft production board of the national defense council announced. As the United States has produced no airplanes of sufficient power and speed for use at the front. without foreign built craft will be used by American mers for battle purpo American machines have been developed to that point.

500 Students to Train. Three training fields will be so near

ly completed by July 20 that 500 student—aviators, -graduates—of—the—prethe plant at a p. m. Suturday.

The cyclone swept in a semi-circle liminary theoretical courses given at room Midland through the northwest six-colleges, can begin their training in actual flight by that time.

EUROPE LOOKS TO U.S. FOR GRAIN

Placed at 971,000,000 Bushels.

Washington-In a statement by Herbert C. Hoover listing the mininum needs of each nation for human consumption and for feed, the grain equiremets of the allies and the Euroean neutrals were put at 971,000,000 ushels, a total much greater than the Inited States can supply.

Mr. Hoover believes the United States and Canada can export this year at least 600,000,000 bushels of grain. If the winter wheat crop imroves and the spring crop is larger than normal, he believes this may be oners were captured, 1,000 of which increased to 800,000,000. Shipment of were officers.

food-bills and the export limitation

MEXICANS LOOT U. S. SHIP

Fishing Schooner Boarded and Stripped of Supplies.

Galveston, Tex.-The American fishng schooner Arcas was boarded by the crew of a Mexican gunboat off the coast of Tehuantepec, Mexico, on the high seas, May 31, and looted of clothing, fishing gear and medicine chest. This news was brought here Tuesday by Captain S. A. McDonald, of the Ar-

Only enough provisions were left for the Arcas to get back to Galveston.

The Mexicans claimed to be Carranza soldiers who had received no clothing or pay for months. The steamer flew no flag.

Charlotte—The city council voted \$250 for uniforms for the Charlotte company of state troops

Charlevoix-Capt. Willard A. Smith, former member of Gov. Osborn's staff, technicality. He commented on the

court's decision in an auto license

Detroit-The number deaths in Detroit and vicinity for the first five months of this year is more than half the total of similar deaths reported for all 1916, the figures being

364 and for all 1916, 639. Albion-A message received from

France, according to information from a farm in Louisiana, three years ago, Major E. E. Persons, commanding the is in a Shreveport hospital in a criti-United States army ambulance com- cal condition as the result of a premapanies. The company will be attach- turn explosion of dynamite while on ed to French troops until the first an alligator hunt. His right arm was blown off

WILL LOOK INTO CONDITIONS

Surgeon General Braisted is Now In Heating Affairs at Country's Neval Recruiting Stations

-Disturbed by the outwalk of scarlet fever and measles at the recruiting stations on shore and see, and by the conditions reported o en the hospital chip Scince, a Gampai Braisted of the BAYY

In the meanwhile the "round robin" signed by the sallors on the Solace has een reported to Admiral Mayo, commander of the fleet, with a view to yigrous action on his part.

Recently, it was stated. Secretary of the Navy Daniels with Admiral Palmer and Surgeon General Braisted visited the fleet on an inspection trip, and **BO COMPLAINTS, Such as were uttered by** the 80 Solace sailors reached their ours. It was explained that within a are 40,000 milers, and the bospital

400 beds.

in the navy, although another has been authorized and is being built. Of the 40,000 men within a radius least 10,000 are men who have just en-

of 50 miles of the fleet, it was said, at tered the service, and it was regarded as inevitable, in view of this fact, that there should be a certain amount of illness in the fleet.

The Solace is the only hospital ship

These storins were fol-

nearest the fleet is at Norfolk, which i the largest possessed by the navy and to which there were recently added

ARREST REVEALS HIGH-POWERED RADIO PLANTS WERE SENT TO MEXICO.

SPIES SENT SECRETS TO BERLIN

Underground Mail Route to Germany Via Mexico Aiso Discovered By Secret Service Men.

New York-Evidence that two com plete high-powered wireless installations, assembled here were shipped to Mexico, supposedly for use of a German spy system in this country, was discovered in connection with the arrest of three men on charges of conspiring to send mail, containing military information, surreptitiously from the United States to Germany through Norwegian ship crews.

It was intimated by the United States commissioner before whom the alleged plotters were arraigned that was through their instrumentality that advance news of the impending arrival in England of the American destroyer fleet was sent to Germany

tem was operated both ways between United States, Germany and Mexico. Several hundred letters have been seized, written in English, German and Spanish, and some apparently in code. They are being translated in the ex-pectation that they will open the way to full revelations of the alleged spy plot which is said to point to other persons besides those under arrest.

BELLS USHER IN DRAFT DAY

Registering of Eligible Men Resembles National Election.

Detroit-Ringing bells and shricking whistles ushered in draft registration day in Detroit. The day resembled a national election day, but it had a significance deeper than an election.

Preparations to meet conditions which might prevent a peaceful and accurate registering of the city's 107. 000 eligibles were taken by city and federal governments. Special police-men patroled the city Monday night to prevent the distribution of antidraft leaflets or the organizing of antidraft mobs. This same force, made up of Spanish American war veterans and others, assisted the city's 1,200 patrolmen in keeping order Tuesday.

Two hundred Spanish War veterans from four Detroit camps assembled at police headquarters Monday night-and sworn in as special offi ing the registration. The men were assigned to precinct stations and held in readiness for emergency calls.

81,000 DOCTORS PLEDGE AID

Medical Association Members Ready to Answer Nation's Call

New York-Eighty-one American doctors will do their bit to That is the membership of the Am

erican Medical association, 10,000 of whose members met in annual convention here Monday, and every one of them is pledged to answer the nation's

Already two anonymous members of the association have saved thousands of lives to the allied armies on the western front by their new method of

sterilizing wounds.

Not only will-thousands—of-these men serve with the American armies in the field, but other thousands will engage in military-medical and surgial research work in this country,
The association began its prepared

ness program in 1916 and is today in a position to mobilize medical and surgical specialists very quickly. The medical and surgical committee of the council of national defense interlocks with the national committee on red ross medical service.

SPUDS LEFT IN CARS TO ROT

Fifteen Cars Sidetracked Near Chicago While Prices Are Boosted.

Chicago-Government investigators inquiring into the reasons for high priced-coal in Illinois recently discov ered 15 cars loaded with potatoes on a siding near Seatonville, Ill

The potatoes, from the shipping directions on the cars, had originally been sent to Chicago. From their condition, the investigators concluded they had been left-on the siding to spoil while high prices were being maintained in the Chicago market.

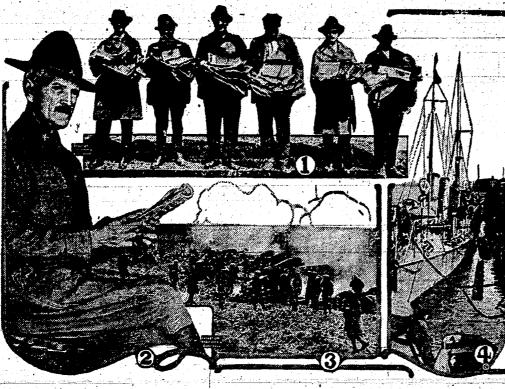
The investigation of the food situation will continue before the June grand jury.

Port Huron-John Kadzielawa died of heart trouble after having been on his front porch all night.

Ann Arbor-Julius Otto Schlotter-beck, Ph.C. Ph.D., professor of pharmacognosy and botany and dean of the college of pharmacy in the University of Michigan since 1904, diec at his home here. Scientific and pharmacy journals have frequently pub-lished contributions of the deceased scholar, who was one of the best known men in his profession. He was 51 years old.

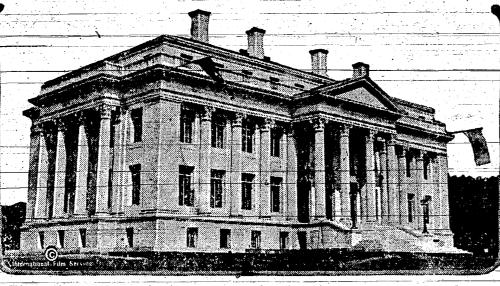
Kalamazoo-Charlotte De Goliere Davenport, 94 years old, walked two miles to a creek outside the city limits and took a "plunge." On her re turn she advised her friends that her experience was very invigorating, "It cures that tired feeling," she said.

Detroit-Electrocuted while suspend ed from the cross-arm of a 30-foot pole by his life belt, the body of Harry Aldrich, a lineman employed by the Michigan State Telephone company, dangled in midair for more than an hour before police discovered the man



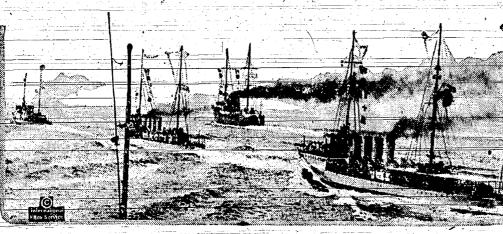
1-Rookles at Fort Slocum who have just received their soldier clothes and are proud of them. 2-Latest phoograph of Maj. Gen. John J. Pershing, selected to command the first-American expeditionary force in France. British artillery on the western front preparing the way for an infantry advance. 4—American destroyer Rogers, put into commission at the Charlestown navy yard for the Massachusetts Naval militia.

NEW HOME OF THE AMERICAN RED CROSS



This is the new building of the American Red Cross in Washington which was formally dedicated recently. It was erected at a cost of \$500,000 and is the general headquarters for all Red Cross work in this country,

OUR DESTROYERS ALREADY ACTIVE IN THE WAR



Some of the American destroyers that, according to official advices, already are in European waters taking an active part in the war on German submarines

BRITISH LABOR COMMISSION



Lives are the members of the British labor commission now in this country conferring with the representatives of American organized labor and the Charlestown (Mass.) navy yard. They are: Seated, left to right, Rt. Hon. C. W. Bowerman and H. W. This naval crane can lift a burden of Garrot: standing, Joseph Davies and J. H. Thomas.

MYSTERY IN SOLDIER'S TRUNK | Russian junk dealer. The documents | three potatoes on his person. Police Securities Worth \$100,000 and Military

Papers Belonging to General McCallum Await Heirs. Atlanta, Ga,-A wide search is be ing made for the heirs of the late army, which laid Atlanta in ashes in Railroad and industrial securities said to be worth \$100,000, together with military papers of the general, were found in a trunk here that had

York attic for many years. Some of the military documents bear the signature of Abraham Lincoln and Lincoln to the court and Jamiesan men the point to the court and Jamiesan the court and Gen. D. C. McCallum of the Union Johnson and other federal officers of war times and the reconstruction period.

Potatoes for Fine. re found in a trunk here that had Fort Worth, Tex.—When F. P. Jam'es brought from New York by a son, a farmer, said he had nothing but

are being held by Leonard J. Gross-man, an attorney. The papers in the prisoner \$10 on a charge of drunker-

Lifting a new ten-ton smokestack to

NEW STACK FOR THE GEORGIA

Black Fox Causes Stir.

Old Orchard, Me.—A beautiful black fox has been seen on the Old Orchard road, and all the for hunters in town are seeking the black-coated animal

STATE NEWS

Jackson-A man said to be Frank Drowdokski, of Lausing, was found shot dead in the woods near here. He had \$60 in his pockets and it is be-lieved he killed himself.

Port Huron-To stimulate recruiting for Co. C. Thirty-third regiment a tent has been pitched on the lawn front of the postoffice here to be used as a recruiting office.

Grand Rapids-At a Socialist meet ing here the administration was ridiculed and a fund was started for the defense of any member convicted by federal or city authorities.

Detroit—Mrs. Emily Gagnier, who The greatest contribution to the had lived 95 years in Detroit, died at food preparedness cause since Michier home, 975 East Grand boulevard, gan's agriculturists took up the noe in Detroit-Mrs. Emily-Gagnier, who Mrs. Gagnier had the distinction of being a great-great grandmother. She

Grand Rapids-Thos. Condon, a farmer living near Moseley, lost his right hand, and eye when a stick of dyna mite exploded prematurely. He and Frank Keech, also of Moseley, were in a hoat on a small lake near Crann City when the explosion occurred,

Pontiac -Following attempts to wreck Grand Trunk trains near Holly on two successive nights, five men are serving time in the county jail here on charges of vagrancy. Ties had been piled on the tracks, but were seen in time to prevent trains being

Battle Creek-In a cablegram to his parents here, Frederick H. Zinn, Battle Creek aviator injured in France says that although he suffered a broken rib and minor bruises in a fall in which his machine was demolished, he expected to get another aeroplane and e back in service in three days.

· Marshall-Owing to the war the Philadelphia bond house which awarded the Calhoun county road onds, has refused to float the issue.

Flint-A spark from a brick hit by chisel caused an explosion in a man hole which blew R. A. Rickey, telephone lineman, several feet in the air He will recover.

Escanaba-Data compiled by Coun ty Agent Pattison of Delta county inlicates that Delta county will have 71 per cent more acreage in crops this year than in 1916.

Cadillac-A cut on his face, selfinflicted with a razor while he was shaving, caused the death from blood polsoning here of Frank Bruyette, 71 years old, a pioneer resident of the

Port Huron-One thousand "penny ags" have been distributed in th senting the Red Cross spelety. The money will be collected once a month by the society.

Lansing-Five teachers from Lowell had a narrow escape when an auto in which they were riding stalled on Grand Trunk crossing near here They escaped from the car just before it was hit by a train.

Mackinac Island-Peter Early, former_mayor,_was_accidentally_shot_to death on his farm while shooting chicken hawks. In getting over a barbed wire fence the gun caught and exploded, the charge entering his side. Calumet-The Calumet & Hecla

Mining Co. and the Calumet & Arizona have each taken, \$500,000 worth of the Liberty bonds. Both companies onds and will lend all the assistance

Flint-Mike O'Donohue was arrest-d while walking out of the Detroit house of correction where he complet- corps, formerly Joy aviation; field, months sentence for bootlegging. He is now charged with holding up and robbing Joe Horodyski, Flint grocer, of \$270,

Hillsdale-Mrs. Elizabeth Smith, 81, resident of Hillsdale 62 years, is dead from old age. Hillsdale-Frank Cook, 52 years old,

who has been crippled since childhood, killed himself.

Jackson-Robert Singles, a trusty at Jackson prison, walked away from the institution. Singles is 72 years old. Adrian-in six months Adrian college will be out of debt. In two years

t has been lowered from \$28,000 to \$5,-

Utica-Dr. George W. Sower, of the First M. E. chuch, urged suppression of calamity howlers in a sermon boost-

ing the Liberty loan. Monroe-Owing to the demand for labor on farms and in the city and to curtail expenses in general, the board of education has decided to discontinue

16 Flint-A foreigner stepped into the Genessee County Savings bank and subscribed for \$100,00 worth of Liberty bonds. He said in broken English that he considered the bonds a good investment and besides he wanted to how his loyalty to the nation.

Saginaw--Twenty passengers on Pere Marquette trpin from Flint wero victimized by pickpockets either while waiting in the Flint station or shortly after boarding the train.

Bad Axe-This city was given a clean bill of health by representatives of the state fire protective association. The-city is entirely-free of buildings of the so-called "fire-trap" type.

Pontiac-A letter was received by the local Red Cross needle work guild from Lyons, France, acknowledging receipt of 11,000 bandages, dressings and garments sent from here,

Traverse City-Maple City contrib uted 5 per cent of its population to the army when five men enlisted from

Pontiac-Armed (with an ax, Mrs. Anna Kinsman, living on the Mt. Clemens road, attacked Chief of Po-lice Kent when he broke into her home to take charge of the body of her husband, Nicholas Kinsman. The woman is believed to be demented. She had refused admission to her home to Coroner Farmer, who had been notified by the attending physician that Kinsman was dying.

GRAZING LAND FOR STOCK IS OFFERED

CATTLE AND SHEEP RAISERS ASKED TO TAKE HERDS TO UPPER PENINSULA.

25,000 ACRES CONTRIBUTED

By Utilizing This Land, Pastures in Lower Peninsular Can Be Sown to Crops.

(By W. L. CALNON.)

Lansing

response to President Wilson's call a weeks ago, has come from the upper peninsula in the guise of what amounts practically to a gift of 25,000 acres of ideal grazing grounds to state sheepmen and stock raisers.

Men with herds will be permitted to turn them loose on the upper peninsula ranges, fatten them and market them when they are ready. The pastures are capable of supporting approximately 100,000 sheep, or from 10,000 to 12,000 feeding steers.

The offer has brought an immediate response from some of the biggest flock owners in the state, and one of these men has already begun moving 2,000 head of sheep to the Lake Superior grazing grounds. The cost of transportation will be borne by the owners of the flocks.

"The project is one of the best that has been devised for promoting food production," says W. F. Raven, live-stock extension specialist for the Michigan Agricultural college. "By moving flocks north, the land which they would have required for grazing in southern Michigan can be sown to crops. By using the upper peninsula pastures 25,000 ceres of tillable land in this section of the state can be add ed to the food producing area.

M. A. C. Engineering Hall Dedicated. The R. E. Olds Hall of Engineering, the gift of the Lansing automobile manufacturer to the engineering department of the Michigan Agricultural college, was dedicated as the closing ceremony of the M. A. C. commence

The new structure with its equipment and the adjoining shops, cost in the neighborhood of \$250,000.

Mr. Olds's contribution to the engineering department was \$100,000 lowing the fire which March 5, 1916. The gift has not covered a half what generally conceded that if it had not come when it did, there would now be no engineering department at the college, and the institution would have lost as well its large appropriations from the federal government, which are given only with the stipulation that a department of mechanical arts and sciences be conducted in conjunction-with-the agricultural-courses.

The Olds gift enabled the college, when it was practically moneyless, to begin reconstruction of the destroyed structures at once.

New City in Michigan.

Within 60-days-there-will-be a new city in southern Michiga. It will be equipped with rail, water, light and power facilities. From its water front on Lake St. Clair powerful military aircraft will soar over the bay to drop unbs on floating targets. The scene of this animation will be the drill and training field of the American Flying and 20 minutes by airplane flight from

Work already is under way on the extension of the Grand Trunk railway from Mt. Clemens to the field. Within a short time Detroit, Mt. Clemens and other communities in that section

Roads are being constructed, ground-cleared for the building of hangars and barracks, stations provided for the receiving of supplies, water and sew erage systems being laid.

The selection of this field by the government, together with the work engines of superior capacity, is a long step toward the establishment of a new and vastly important phase of the automotive industry in Michigan.

Beet Profits Small.

According to a report of the federal trade commission the lowest not prothe summer school for the coming sea. fits per acre in any beet sugar growing district of considerable size are in Michigan. The highest net profits per acre were found in Colorado and Utah, In these California districts the net profits rang-ed from \$38 to \$45 per acre; in Colorado from \$27 to \$37; in Utah from \$25 to \$27, and in Michigan only \$17.

> Nine state commissions with a membership of 37 and a state dairy and drug commissioner will be named soon by Gov. Sleeper under legislation pass-ed by the last legislature. Numerous applications have been submitted for ach position Representative Peterman, of Calu-

ment says the Calumet & Hecla, as well as nearly every mining company in the north country, is plowing up its vacant property and dividing the land among the heads of families, in plats of 50x100 ft. for potato raising.

Orders to discharge all incompetent officers in the Michigan National guard before the call to federal service on July 15, have been received by Col. Bersey. In military circles here It is not thought the order will have much effect, as there are said to be few such officers in the Michigan organization.

A squadron of cavalry is being raised for Michigan by Captain Hem rich A. Pickert. It will consist of four troops, two in addition to those now in existence.

KIBBEY REMEMY

There was one case in particular which attracted a great deal of attention in this neighborhood early last Spring, as the gentlemar's life was despaired of and the doctors treating him for liver and kidney trouble were unable to give him any relief. Finally a specialist from St. Louis was called in but failed to do him any good. I at last induced him to try pour. Swamp-Root and after taking it for three months, he was attending to his business months, he was attending to his business as usual and is now entirely well. This case has been the means of creating an increased demand for your Swamp-Root

Very truly yours, L. A. RICHARDSON, Druggist.

Prove What Swamp-Root Will Do For You Send ten cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., for a sample size bottle. It will convince anyone. You will also receive a booklet of valuable information, telling about the kidneys and bladder. When writing, be sure and mention this paper. Regular fifty-cent and one-dollar size bottles for sale at all drug stores.—Adv.

His Threat.

A month or two after the war started a collièr entered a large hotel on Tyneside and ordered refreshments saying: "Big prices noo; As might as weel be a big man."

On discovering that the waiter was German, the irate pitman, choking with anger, leaped to his feet, ran the affrighted Tenton to the door, and assisted him into the roadway with his foot, and then, wheeling round upon the trembling, expostulating proprietor, he spluttered:

"Man, if ivvor ye dare te set a thunderin' Jarman te wait on me agyen necks, an' ram th' pair o' ye haafway doon yor aan throats until thar's nowt en ov ye but th' ends ov you dirty shirt-collars stickin' oot ov bloomin' red eyes. Noo ye knaa whaat te expect if ye de!"-London Tit-Rits.

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Canal Zone Pioneers Volunteer.

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Sold everywhere .- Adv.

Of the hundreds of Americans who ent to Panama in 1904, when the

The 1904 men, with whom are included several women, who came as nurses and have remained, have formed an organization. known as the Society of the Incas. Every year on May 4, the anniversary zone, they hold a banquet. This year, on the thirteen anniversary, they passed a resolution to offer themselves. us an organization or as individuals for whatever service the government should desire them, in the zone, in the United States, in France or elsewhere,

He Was Far-Sighted.

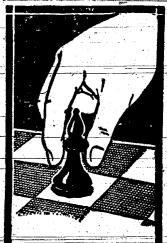
An ambitious colored man had quit his job and was being granted a new one with another concern, when his employer asked aim if he could be ready to commence work in two weeks. He replied: "I fear dat would be difficult for me to be ready in two weeks, but I could be ready in one week shore."
"How's that?" asked his employer.

"Well, in one week I can finish de garden work," was his answer, "but if I is home the one week more de missus would be rushin' me into de middle of house-cleanin'."—The Christian Herald,

A Real Patriot "You ought to be proud of your

"We-are. He volunteered to serve his country without insisting on being enlisted as an officer.

You can't always keep your neigh-hors from saying foolish things, but you can close your ears.



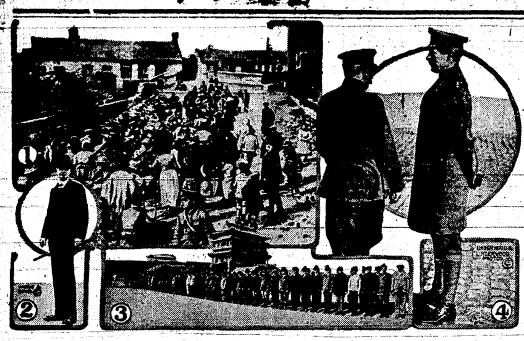
A Wise Move

is to change from coffee to

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before the harm is done.

'There's a Reason'



-Populace of one of the French villages recovered from the Germans welcoming the allied troops that released them. 2—Bernard Baruch, member of the advisory council of national defease, who was suggested as purchasing agent for all the allied governments, but advised that the work be done by a commission. 3—Volunteer company of Americans in Peking, which was formed four days after war was declared and which drills five times a week. 4— Latest photograph of King Albert of Belgium, conferring with one of his generals at the front.

NEWS REVIEW OF THE PAST WEEK

America is Preparing, Without Panicky Haste, for War of Several Years.

SUPPLY COMMISSION FOR ALL

Government Suppresses Agitators Against Conscription-Military Situation in Russia Improved-Itallans Steadily Pushing Toward Trieste-Plans for Organizing Farm Labor in U. S.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD.

The United States anticipates fro three to five more years of war, and is preparing for it on a tremendous scale, basing its plans on the idea that defeat of the central powers will depend largely on America. France and England are counted on to hold the Germans back on the west front, while Italy keeps the Austrians busy in the ste and Trentino regions, until the train its immense National army.

Though a hundred thousand or more Americans will be on the fighting front this year, it is not expected that our armies will appear there in great strength before 1918. This much of its plans the government allowed to be own_last_week, _President_Wilson, It was said, expects to send a million men to France next year and amother million the following year if neces-

Instead of punicky haste, careful consideration is governing the move ments of the government. To co-ordinate the needs of the allies and furtions and other supplies they must have is perhaps the most pressing problem, and during the week the cubmachinery for the purchase of supplies aggregating \$10,000,000,000 a year and their distribution to the various controlled by a commission, rather vice of Bernard Baruch, who had been suggested for the position. The war commissions of Great Britain and France formally agreed to the creation of such a commission, and the Italian commissioners, now in this country, doubtless will assent. Incidentally, Italy wants to horrow several hundred millions from the United States.

Preparing for Registration.

Preparations for the registration on of all men between the ages of twenty-one and thirty for service in the National army went forward rapidly throughout the country, and with a blush of shame he it sold schemes were spring in many localities to defeat the success of the army law and to fight against conscription. In Texas and West Virginia organizaions for this purpose were uncovered, and in those states and many other places arrests were made by the secret service men. Federal officers everywhere were instructed to keep clo watch over meetings at which there tion and to arrest the speakers. In some instances it was shown beyond doubt that German influences and Gernan money were behind the demon strations.

Chicago, New York and other cities were the scene of meetings of Sucialpacifists, conscientious objectors and other intentional or unintentional aids of the kaiser. These gatherings voiced the demand that the United States government at once announce its war aims in definite and concrete terms ar d make pence as soon as those aims are achieved. The Socialists, ac cording to their leaders, are concerned chiefly in spreading their doctrine throughout the world and see in the ar a fine opportunity to accomplish this. As for the conscientious objecone may well anote Colone Roosevelt's phrase in his Memorial Day address: "If any man is too conscientious to fight he ought to take it is certainly sich."

As registration day approached the number of cowards fleeing the country to avoid the draft increased. A great many crossed the borders into Mexico and Canada, and considerable numbers went to Cuba. All decent citizens join in the hope that these creatures will never have the impu-

dence to return to the United States.

President Wilson, loath to abandon entirely the volunteer system, on Tues more volunteers to bring the regular

army up to full strength. What is Doing in Russia.

Developments of the week in Rus sia were both encouraging and dis-Admittedly, the fate of that new republic is in the hands of Kerensky and he has taken a firm-stand in the matter of restoring discipline in the army. The soldiers seem villing to submit, and are giving evidence of a renewed intention to continue the fight against the central powthis by the injunctions and appeals of the councils of pensants' and work-men's deputies and by the exhortations of government officials. This state of affairs is recognized by Germany in a

The most discouraging news from Russia was contained in a statement Alluster of Finance Shingares tha the industrial crisis is so acute that only-a-miracle can save the country from economic ruin. The demands of the workmen are so enormous that most of the industrial enterprises working for the national defense will be compelled to close down before long. On top of this comes the formal marines is noted in the weekly admirthat they be supplied with enough munitions to fight on an equal-plane with

the other belligerents. A hopeful note was sounded on Thesday by Prof. Borts Bakhmetleff, the new Russian ambassador to the United States. Reaching Tokyo on his way to this country, he said: "I am immensely satisfied with conditions in Russin, including Siberia. I think the new regime is carrying on the met discussed the creation of the vast work of reorganization successfully and will soon be able to launch an of-

fensive against the enemy."

Russia's official position seems as anomolous as ever, for she still insists she will be fulthful to her allies, and n, and such is the ad- in the same breath demands that peace be made on terms that cannot conceivably be accepted by those allies.

President Sends Note to Russia. President Wilson last week dispatched a note to Russia's provisional government designed to pave the way for the Root commission and to give Russia an idea of the war aims of the United States. He set forth that America is in the war to "make the world safe for democracy," and that it_seeksanne indemnities for ourselves no material compensation for the sacrifices we shall freely make," but makes it clear that there must be indemnity for innocent nations laid in ruins, like Belgium.,

Maxim Gorky, the noted author, publishes in his paper a sensational account of an attempt by D. Rizow, Bulgarian-minister to Berlin, to induce him to enter into negotiations for separate peace. Ezow's proposition was that Russia conclude an immed ate armistice with Germany and Austria, both beiligerents retaining their present fronts, and a Russian constituent assembly meet at once to decide on peace or war.

The Socialist party of France last week decided to send delegates to the Stockholm conference, but the rejoicinstified, for it appears the Frenchmen eave the Russian Socialists alone with the German delegates. The German and Austrian Socialists set forth their peace program, a program which might well be acceptable to the two emperors who have given up hopes of crushing 'Austria is still hanke their enemies. ing for peace at almost any price, and the kalser's control over the dual monarchy was weakened by the appointof Count Julius Andrassy as premier of Hungary to succeed Tisza.

Italians Move, Toward Trieste. The Italians and Austrians did most of the actual fighting last week. Ca dorna's men pressed on further toward

his conscience out and look at it, for | Trieste, though the forward move ment slackened considerably and much of the time was given to consolidating the positions already won, and beating off the furious counter-assaults of the Austrians. The Italians captured San -Giovanni, one of the key defenses of Trieste, and it was reported that all avoiding the mountainous country far-ther north and obtaining the aid of British warships. Northeast of Goritz. the Italians made some further,

progress. The achievements of the

talian soldiers in this offensive are

truly wonderful when the unture of

opposition are considered, and their bravery and high spirit are unsur-

nassèc In France there was violent artillery firing through the week, and the combats in the air were numerous and spectacular. Again the allied airmet lemonstrated their superiority over those of the German army. The British aviators have been especially ac--five-and-in night-flights-have dropped

The lull in the activity of oth arms on the west front-was taken to can help her.

Another marked decrease in the lemmed of the troops at the front alty report. Among the vessels lost were a hospital ship and an armored cruiser. Spain and Norway were further aggravated by the sinking of more of their vessels,

The Brazilian chamber of deputies authorized the revocation of the de ance of Brazil with "other states to defend the American republics against

To Organize Farm Labor. The department of agriculture an

plan for the organization of farm laoor. The work already has been started in 40 states. The plan pro vides for strictly local handling of al abor problems that can be adjusted locally. The fundamental unit of the organization is the "community man" who, with the assistance of such committees as he may appoint, canvasses his own neighborhood, finds out what available for supplying the local need. If after all local adjustments have been made, there remains either a deficit or a surplus of labor, he reports to the "county man," whose business it is to effect adjustments in his county. The county man, in turn, reports and deficit of surplus to the "state man," who canvasses the situation for the state as a whole and reports to the department of agriculture.

The finance committee of the senate spent the week in revamping the war revenue bill. In the house the food survey bill, the losser of the govern ment's two food measures, was passed On Thursday the house by a vote o 184 to 144, returned the espionage-bill to the conference committee of the two-houses with instructions to climinate the press-censorship section of adoption of which the president had been insistent. The senate a ready had voted against the provision. The house was influenced considerably charges that the administration had been suppressing the truth about health conditions in the navy, and it was shown later that the senate had kept secret a report of Surgeon General Braisted describing the epidemics in the navy and the primitive conditions under which the medical officers were forced to labor.

Two destructive tornadoes swept through central Illinois, the towns of Mattoon and Charleston being the worst sufferers. About 300 lives were lost, and the property damage was These storms were followed by others farther south in the Mississippi valley that killed about 70 more persons.

The Solace is the only hospital ship

Of the 40,000 men within a radius of 50 miles of the fleet, it was said, at lenst 10,000 are men who have just entered the service, and it was regarded as inevitable, in view of this fact, that there should be a certain amount of illness in the fleet.

SUMMARY OF IMPORTANT HAP PENINGS IN FAR OFF NORTHLAND.

ITEMS FROM THE OLD HOME

Resume of the Most Important Events in Sweden, Norway and Denmark-Of Interest to the Scandinavians

DENMARK

A fisherman at Shekkersten lost his ax through the ice. The water was so deep that he could not see it. and it would have puzzled a less in ventive mind than that of our fisherman to recover the ax. He tied a fish to a 16-foot line, fastened the other end of the line to a rock, tied a rope to the rock, and sunk the rock and the fish to the bottom of the sea through the hole where the az had dropped. You bet it worked! When an az drops into the water its handle always stands up straight, of course. When the fish got to the bottom he began to swim around to get lose. But all that he accomplished was that he wound his line around the ax handle. The next morning the fisherman simply had rock, the ax, and the fish.

"Jacobsen's Kvase," a famous wooden ship, had to be cut up into fuel the noncombatants had ben ordered to other day because it could not be used the Austrians did not hope to hold possession of it much longer. The evident that floats can make its owner rich, ofan of the Italians was to move on This particular ship became famous in Trieste along the coast of the Adriatic, a terrible storm in 1872, It was moored at Stettin when the storm broke loose. Soren Jacobsen was the only man in that harbor who dared to cut his way out of the harbor through the storm and the waves. It looked like perdition dead sure. But he saved his the country and the strength of the was dashed against the shore and wrecked.

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NORWAY.

The following might apply to almost any large American city this spring. though it was written by a close observer of the conditions in Christiania early in the spring: "All vacant lots and open spaces inside the city limits statement that an early offensive by many tons of explosives on military are put under the plow. We have 40 the Russians is expected.

establishments of the enemy far back acres of good soil on Thorshaug and 45 acres at Frogner outside of the regular park. At the Excherg manor we have 13 acres, and an equal area thousand two hundred persons have reported_that_they_wish_to_raise_potapoor people of the city will have 150 acres-of-good-pointo-ground at their disposal. It is figured out that they will get about 180 bushels to the acre. This will be a good lift to the poor peocree of neutrality, and the senate fole pho of our city. The moral proceeds lowed this up by authorizing an ailli will be still more valuable. The city sees that the ground is plowed. The man quoted above has a friend who is man quoted hoove has a richard and he Aspen was a rather philosophically inclined, and he built 20 years ago. The German min elaborated the situation in the follow-"From below is that ing manner: growing which is to bring a new era. I really believe that this great war, which Kaiser Wilhelm has prepared and put in operation, and which is now distinguished by his splendid undersea weapons, will sweep the fields clean in Europe. But the princes by the grace of God and the bureaucracy by the grace of God and other idolatry will pass away, and men will return to the earth and cultivate it. As in this city, all over the world there are fields enough to cultivate, if people only can get at them. And the common man will learn to go by the best people, who are not aristocrats and who will not ask for pay for their help and advice.'

There was a feeling of satisfaction in Norway when the United States entered the war, not so much because the Norwegians sided with the allies. as because they thought the entrance of America would hasten the end of Metz, an absolutely French city, but the conflict. Norway may sever diplomatic relations with Germany. Ev. general staff. The Internationale must ery effort is being made to preserve reject such ideas regardless of from neutrality, but the situation is become whom they come, We should protest ing strained because of the many Norwegian vessels sunk by German submarines. The people of Norway are plowing vacant lots and agriculture is ncouraged. Prices are higher and the farmers probably are better off than During the cold weather theaters in Norway were permitted to open only once a week, because of the fuel shortage.

There will be no burning of kelp ilong the beach of Jaderen this year. the German submarines making it so isky to ship kelp ashes across the sea that the foreign lodide factories are not going to get raw materials from Norway as in former years. This means a serious loss to the people of Jaderen and Karmoen.

The storthing employs no less than 16 regular stenographers. It is exact ly 60 years since provisions were made for taking stenographic reports of the roceedings.

The Norwegian legation at Berlin ccording to a dispatch from Copenhagen, reports that the Norwegian rs Laly, Najaden, C. Sundt and Garant have been torpedeed by Ger-man submarines. Members of the crews of each vessel lost their lives.

The food and fuel problem has be omes serious in Norway, and if the war continues throughout the coming vinter the government probably will fix a limited ration rule and adopt a requirement that no person can heat more than two rooms.

FINLAND.

only will give them the right, but that concern Finland is part of the people's nationality preserved. Finland's complaint against Russia, now happily anid. of this being spent in maintenance of Russian officials and troops in Finlànd."

Vesterland, Aspen and Viken, lader with grain from England, had been by German submarines was re-

faise principle.'

The government put an embargo foodstuffs May 3. Among the articles may be mentioned pork, all kinds of fish, fruits, and vegetables.

sale merchant, commemorated his sev enty-fifth birthday anniversary turning over a donation of \$40,000 to the king in order to enable young men to pursue military studies abroad.

both in the cities and the rural districts on account of the high cost of horse feed.

To carry the mails of captives of var has cost the post office department of Sweden \$1,350,000.

The city of Marstrans had a light and food famine at the same time, the electric plant going on a strike and the means of communication to the city being demoralized. Fortunately the trouble did not last long.

The late J. F. Hakunsson, a Stock holm banker, willed \$300,000 to the institution for the aid of worthy poor.

AMERICAN MISSION LANDS IN RUSSIA

MESSAGE OUTLINING WAR AIMS OF U. S. ARRIVES BY CABLE AT SAME TIME.

CRUSH KAISER FIRST AIM

President Also Asks Freedom of Seas Ban On Submarines and Protection for Small Nations

Washington-The American mission

headed by Elihu Root, former secre tary of state, arrived at a Russian por Sunday. Mr. Root bears plenipotentiary powers to act for the United States. Timed to coincide with his arrival a message from the state departmen

States was cabled to the de facto gov ernment of Russia. The message sets forth clearly what

from publication in America as a materica as set forth in President Wil-

somewhat as follows:

1. Crushing of militarism and abandonment of heavy armaments as a war department declined to accept the guarantee against junkerism plunging the world into a sea of blood. that it may be made safe against the

onslaughts of an imperial clique. 2. Freedom of the seas and restricweapon of offense. Crews of merchant

3. Guarantees that will hold that steamships had been engerly awaited.
The message which told of the sinktion and indemnity of Belgium, Ser crew of the Viken and two men abourd | bla and other little countries wiped the Vesterland had been lost. News- out by the Germans, as-well as the establishment so far as possible of at the torpedoing of the three steum- borders on racial lines. A Jewish republic in Palestine may be one of the outgrowths of the war and this is favored by the United States.

CYCLONE HITS BAY COUNTY

ualties Reported.

Saginaw-Bay City, Flint, Jackson, presage another big offensive, and this at the Berg estate. The entire Etter friends in the world. The Stockholm at Linguage 38 miles north of here fine it is predicted that the Germans stad plain lies unused. And there are preparing a transcaling a transcaling a transcaling at the property of the parcels of ground. Two

The cyclone swept-in a semi-circle from Midland through the northwestlivestock likewise escaped. The dam age was \$25,000. Tops of several barns ited_this_section. The wires from the Au Sable power

plant, which carry a load of 140,000 volts, were torn down for a half-a-mile There was no high wind at Saginaw

52,000 TEUTONS CAPTURED

Paris War Office Epitomizes Gains of Allies Since April 1.

Paris-An official communication is sued by the war office says that from April 1 to June 1, 52,000 German prisoners were captured, 1,000 of which increased to 800,000,000. Shipment of

taken from the enemy during the usual and eat more of other cereals, same time were 446 heavy and field Co-ordination of allied food purcha cannon, 1,000 machine guns and a cones will be established as soon as the siderable number of trench guns, food bills and the export limitations vanced on a front of 20 miles from es and neutral countries are purchas Loos to South of Bullecourt to an extreme depth of six miles east of Arras. Field Marshal Haig's men have taken Vimy ridge, dominating the plains to this government may hold up-Donat and have virtually surrounded to assure of an adequate food supply Lens and St. Quentin and have held their gains against desperate and re

peated German attacks, while inflict-

ing heavy losses. In the same time the French have advanced along a 15-mile front north of the Aisne and seized the hights dominating the valley of the Ailette river, the last natural defense before Laon. In Champagne, the French troops, in intrepid attacks, have gained the hights of Mont Carnillet, the Casque, the Teton and Mont Haut, to the east of Hheims. All the French gains have been held. Reneated attacks by the German crown prince against the captured zones have been made without avail and he has expend ed thousands of lives in fruitless efforts to regain the lost ground.

· Gov. Albert E. Sleeper was the chief speaker at Charlotte's first community banquet. Congressman J. M. C. Smith and Lieutenant-Governor Dickinson were also speakers.

Grand Rapids-United States agents raided Socialist headquarters here. They seized a quantity of semi-sedi tious literature and the names of all editor of the Charlevoix Sentinel, and persons enrolled in the party in Grand former member of Gov. Osborn's staff, Rapids. It was claimed that Grand was acquitted of contempt charges on Rapids is the hub of a wheel of dis- a technicality. He commented on the ern Michigan.

Hillsdale—Thomas Dresser died from injuries suffered when an autohit by a New York Central train. William Smith was seriously injured. They farmed near Litchfield.

Detroit-Red Cross Ambulance company No. 8 probably will be the first medical unit to leave Michigan for France, according to information from United States army ambulance comnanies. The company will be attach- ture explosion of dynamite

BIG BERTHA" INVENTOR DIES



Washington-Louis Gathmann, inventor of the "big Berthas," as the called, died at the home of his daugh er, Mrs. Thomas Foley, here. No sooner had Mr. Gathman's invention been patented than it taken annually in taxes for the im son's communication may be divided snapped up by Germany. Gathmann nerial government in recent years, part somewhat as follows: United States government, but the

> tender, Mr. Gathmann was born in Germany in 1843, coming to this country in the last year of the Civil war and taking up his residence in Washing

AIRMEN TO TRAIN IN FRANCE

J. S. Recruits Will Get Final Lessons in French Battle Planes.

Washington-Contracts have been awarded to an American firm for the construction of a two-squadron aviation field in France, where American army fliers will receive final training

pefore-taking their places at the front Final training will be in French battle-planes and under French instrucors, the aircraft production board of the national defense council announced. As the United States has produced no airplanes of sufficient foreign built craft will be used by Amlectric lights Saturday night and all erican fliers for battle purposes, until American machines have been de-

500 Students to Train. Three training fields will be so neary completed by July 20 that 500 stu

dent aviators, graduates of the preliminary theoretical courses given at six colleges, can begin their training

EUROPE LOOKS TO U.S. FOR GRAIN

Requirements of Allies and Neutrals Placed at 971,000,000 Bushels.

Washington—In a statement by Herbert C. Hoover listing the minimum needs of each nation for human consumption and for feed, the grain requiremets of the allies and the Euro nean neutrals were put at 971,000,000 oushels, a total much greater than the United States can supply.

Mr. Hoover believes the United States and Canada can export this year at least 600,000,000 bushels of grain. If the winter wheat crop improves and the spring crop is larger than normal, he believes this may be that much grain will force American Included in the enormous material consumers to eat less wheat than

Since April 1, the British have ad act become laws. At present the alliing in large quantities for future deivery. There is no guarantee that all these deliveries will be made as

MEXICANS LOOT U.S. SHIP

Fishing Schooner Boarded and Strip ped of Supplies

Galveston, Tex.-The American fish ing schooner Areas was boarded by the crew of a Mexican gunboat off the coast of Tehuantepec, Mexico, on the high seas. May 31, and looted of clothing, fishing gear and medicine chest. This news was brought here Tuesday by Captain S. A. McDonald, of the Ar-

Only enough provisions were left for the Arcas to get back to Gal-

The Mexicans claimed to be ranza soldiers who had received no clothing or pay for months. The steamer flew no flag.

Charlotte-The city council voted \$250 for uniforms for the Charlotte company of state troops.

Charlevoix-Capt, Willard A. Smith was acquitted of contempt charges on which is slowly covering west- court's decision in an auto license case.

Detroit-The number of violent deaths in Detroit and vicinity for the mobile in which he was riding was first five months of this year is more than half the total of similar deaths reported for all 1916, the figures being 364 and for all 1916, 639.

> Albion-A message received from Shreveport, La., states that Frank Pease, an Albion man who moved to farm in Louisians, three years ago, cal condition as the result of a prema-

Major E. E. Persons, commanding the is in a Shreveport hospital in a criti ad to French froops until the first an alligator hunt. His right arm was American expedition arrives blown of

WILL LOOK INTO CONDITIONS

Surgeon General Braisted is Now Investigating Affairs at Country's Naval Recruiting Stations.

Washington.-Disturbed by the outbreak of scarlet fever and mensies at neval recruiting stations on shore and and by the conditions reported to exist on the hospital ship Solace, General Braisted of the Davy will make an investigation of condi-

In the meanwhile the "round robin" signed by the sallors on the Solace has been reported to Admiral Mayo, com mander of the fleet, with a view to vigprous action on his part,

Recently, it was stated, Secretary of the Navy Daniels with Admiral Palmer and Surgeon General Braisted vis ted the fleet on an inspection trip, and no complaints, such as were uttered by the 30 Solace sailors reached ears. It was explained that within a radius of 50 miles of the fleet there are 40,000 sailors, and the hospital

nearest the fleet is at Norfolk, which is the largest possessed by the navy and to which there were recently added

n the navy, although another has been authorized and is being built.

Jan Jansen, a Finnish clerk in a Rusdan bank, says that Finland wants Finnish schoolhouses—with Finland's flag floating above them-filled with Finnish children learning their own language, literature and history. The Finnish people want the right to pursue their own way unmolested. They are rendy to believe that the war not through the Russian revolution, it has already done so. Full freedom from Russian rule is not expected; but selfgovernment in all affairs that solely demand. They wish to manage their business affairs, to continue the development of their country, their road and harbor building, for the benefit of themselves. Above all, they want their dissolving, was only a dozen years old, said Mr. Jansen. It dated from that extra reactionary regime which following, and apparently regretting, the czar's concessions to the people in 1905, sought to upset all the benefits granted Finland. Since that time, Jan- outlining the war sims of the United sen declared, Russian governors sent to govern Finland have devoted themselves largely to the difficult task of stamping out the identity of the Finns, the United States is fighting for and as a separate people. "Van Seyn tried how far it will go. It was cabled to make moujiks out of the Finns," he several days ago, but was withheld "The Finns are a peaceful, patient people. It is hard to see what the old regime feared from them. PosThe peace aims—or the the old regime feared from them. Pos-sibly, it was simply a way of extort-mands, they might be called—of Am-

SWEDEN. News that the Swedish steamer

ceived May 19 in Stockholin and caused vessels must be assured safety. much indignation. The arrival of the ing said that eight members of the papers united in voicing indignation ers. The Stockholm Tidningen captions its article, "The Germans' Das turdly Deed Against Sweden," and characterizes it as a "deliberate and bloody crime." The Dagen's Nyheter says: "Our German kinderland—as it is fond of calling itself-is drawing Hundred Buildings Wrecked-No Casheavy drafts on the sympathies which it-believes itself to possess here and for which our land has been forced to hear so many unkind words from Lansing and Saginaw were without declares no intelligent German need interurban traffic operated by clecwonder that his country has so few Sweden that went down with the the plant at 5 p. m. Saturday. pes=2,200 city families who sudden out to a superior superior to superior s Another interest decrease in the large farmers in the city. Each murines is noted in the weekly admir one of these spare-hour farmers is to tary regard for our rights as neutrals." hundred buildings were wrecked by one of these spare hour farmers is to tary regard for our rights as neutrals. hundred buildings were wrecked by have 225 square yards of ground. The No theoretical defenses by Germany the storm, but no one was injured and can prevent the greatest bitterness from prevailing in Sweden, says the Dagbladet. Germany's enemies, it were carried across 40 acre-fields. It adds, could not have desired better was one of the first circular wind. inaking the whole crop 27,000 bushels. agitation material. The Viken was a storms, settlers say, that has ever visphe of our city. The moral proceeds her first trip. She was of 1,820 tons gross. The Vesterland was of 4018 Aspen was of 3.103 tons gross and ister at Stockholm is reported to have visited the Swedish foreign minister and expressed deepest regret at the sinking of the Swedish steamers Vesterland, Viken and Aspen.

A committee representing the Dutch and Scandinavian socialists has issued a long manifesto explaining the reason for calling the conference of social ists at Stockholm and appealing to the socialists of the world to participate. The committee hopes to come to ar agreement with representatives of the Russian council of workmen's and soldiers' delegates, who are expected in Stockholm. Hjalmar Branting, editor of the Social Demokraten, said that Swedish_socialists_could_not_approve former Premier Asquith's third gory of annexations that are not aunevotions-those covering "strategic protection against future attack." He anid: "This is the same unfortunate line of thought which in 1872 induced Bismarck to persist in the demand for fortress which appealed to the German if the Germans demanded Liege and Antwerp. We should protest also if the British tried to carry out the same

. . . the exportation of almost all kinds of

H. Friedlander, a Stockholm whole

Many livery barns have been closed

Miss Sara Sundberk, the oldest per son in Goteborg, died at the age of one hundred and four years.

ARREST REVEALS HIGH-POWERED RADIO PLANTS WERE BENT TO MEXICO.

SPIES SENT SECRETS TO BERLIN

Underground Mail Route to Germany Via Mexico Also Discovered By Secret Service Men.

New York-Evidence that two complete high-powered wireless installs. dons, assembled here were shipped to Mexico, supposedly for use of a German spy system in this country, was discovered-in connection with the arrest of three men on charges of conspiring to send mail, containing military information, surreptitiously from the United States to Germany through

It was intimated by the United States commissioner before whom the alleged plotters were arraigned that through their instrumentality that advance news of the impending arrival in England of the American destroyer fleet was sent to Germany Indications are the secret mail-sys

tem was operated both ways between the United States, Germany and Mexi-co. Several hundred letters have been seized, written in English, German and Spanish, and some apparently in code They are being translated in the expectation that they will open the way to full revelations of the alleged spy plot which is said to point to other persons besides those under arrest.

BELLS USHER IN DRAFT DAY

Registering of Eligible Men Resembles National Election.

Detroit-Ringing bells and shricking whistles ushered in draft registration day in Detroit. The day resembled a national election day, but it had a significance deeper than an election.

Preparations to meet conditions

which might prevent a peaceful and · accurate registering of the city's 107,-000 cligibles were taken by city and federal governments. Special policemen patroled the city Monday night to prevent the distribution of antidraft leaflets or the organizing of antidraft mobs. This same force, made up of Spanish American war veterans and others, assisted the city's patrolmen in keeping order Tuesday. Two-hundred-Spanish-War-veterans from four Detroit camps assembled ar police headquarters Monday night and vere sworn in as special officers during the registration. The men wer assigned to precinct stations and held in readiness-for-emergency-calls.

81,000 DOCTORS PLEDGE AID

Medical Association-Members-Ready to Answer Nation's Call.

New York-Eighty-one American doctors will do their bit to That is the membership of

erican Medical association...10,000-of whose members met in annual convention here Monday, and every one of them is pledged to answer the nation's

Already two anonymous members of the association have saved thousands. of lives to the allied armies on the western front by their new method of

sterilizing wounds.

Not only will thousands of these men serve with the American armies in the field, but other thousands will engage in military-medical and surgial research work in this country.

The association began its prepared-

ss program in 1916 and is today in a position to mobilize medical and surgical specialists very quickly. The medical and surgical committee of the council of national defense-interlocks with the national committee on red cross medical service.

SPUDS LEFT IN CARS TO ROT

Fifteen Cars Sidetracked Near Chicago While Prices Are Boosted.

Chicago-Government investigators inquiring into the reasons for high priced coal in Illinois recently discov. ered 15 cars loaded with potatoes on a

siding near Seatonville, 111.

The potatoes, from the shipping directions on the cars, had originally been sent to Chicago. From their condition, the investigators concluded they had been left on the siding to spoil while high prices were being maintained in the Chicago market.

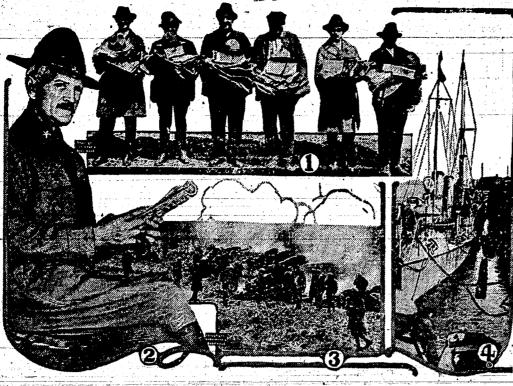
The investigation of the food situation will continue before the June grand jury.

Port Huron-John Kadzielawa died of heart trouble after having been on his front porch all night.

Ann Arbor-Julius Otto Schlotter-beck, Ph.C. Ph.D., professor of pharmacognosy and botany and dean of the college of pharmacy in the University of Michigan since 1904, died at his home here. Scientific and pharmacy journals have frequently lished contributions of the deceased scholar, who was one of the best known men in his profession. He was '51 years old.

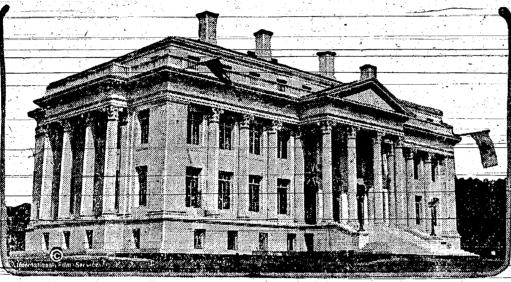
Kalamazoo-Charlotte De Golier Davenport, 94 years old, walked two miles to a creek outside the city limits and took a "plunge." On her return she advised her friends that her experience was very invigorating. "It cures that tired feeling," she said.

Detroit-Electrocuted while suspended from the cross-arm of a 30-foot pole by his life belt, the body of Harry Aldrich, a lineman employed by the Michigan State Telephone company, dangled in midair for more than an hour before police discovered the man



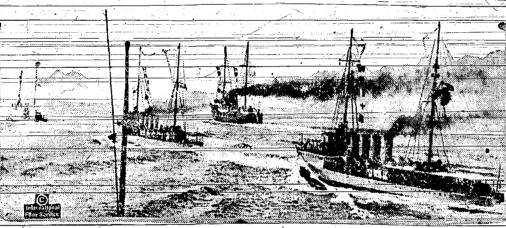
1-Reckies at Fort Slocum who have just received their soldier clothes and are proud of them. 2-Latest pho tograph of Maj. Gen. John J. Pershing selected to command the first American expeditionary force in France. 3—British artillery on the western front preparing the way for an infantry advance. 4—American destroyer Rogers, put into commission at the Charlestown navy yard for the Massachusetts Naval militia

NEW HOME OF THE AMERICAN RED CROSS



This is the new building of the American Red Cross in Washington which was formally dedicated recently. It erected at a cost of \$500,000 and is the general headquarters for all-Red Cross work in this country

OUR DESTROYERS ALREADY ACTIVE IN THE WAR



Some of the American destroyers that, according to official advices, already are in Euro active part in the war on German submarines.

BRITISH_LABOR_COMMISSION



try conferring with the representatives of American organized labor and the Charlestown (Mass.) navy yard, others. They are: Seated, left to right, Rt. Hon. C. W. Bowerman and H. W. This naval crane can lift a burden of Garroc; standing, Joseph Davies and J. H. Thomas

period.

Securities Worth \$100,000 and Military Papers Belonging to General
McCallum Await Heirs

ing made for the heirs of the late ture of Abraham Lincoln, Andrew Gen. D. C. McCallium of the Union Johnson and other federal officers of army, which laid Atlanta in ashes in Railroad and industrial securities said to be worth \$100,000, together with military papers of the general, were found in a trunk here that had

man, an attorney. The papers in the old battered trunk had lain in a New York attic for many years. - Some of Atlanta, Ga.—A wide search, is bethe military documents bear the signation to the court and Jamieson was disting made for the heirs of the late ture of Abraham Lincoln, Andrew charged,

war -times and -the reconstruction

MYSTERY IN SOLDIER'S TRUNK Russian junk dealer. The documents three potatoes on his person, Police are being held by Leonard J. Gross- Judge Parker, who had just fined the prisoner \$10 on a charge of drunkenness, said he would accept the potatoes as a fine. They were turned

Lifting a new ten-tor

60 tons.

NEW STACK FOR THE GEORGIA

Black Fox Causes Stir.

Old Orchard, Me .- A beautiful black Potatoes for Fine. for has been seen on the Old Orchard Fort Worth, Tex.—When F. P. James road, and all the fox hunters in town been brought from New York by a son, a farmer, said he had nothing but are seeking the black-coated animal

STATE NEWS

Jackson-A man said to be Frank Drowdokski, of Lansing, was found shot dead in the woods near here. Ha had \$60 in his pockets and it is be-lieved he killed himself.

Port Huron-To stimulate recruiting for Co. C. Thirty-third regiment, a tent has been pitched on the lawn in front of the postoffice here to be used as a recruiting office.

Grand Rapids-At a Socialist meet ing here the administration was ridi-culed and a fund was started for the defense of any member convicted by federal or city authorities. Detroit-Mrs. Emily Gagnier, who

had lived 95 years in Detroit, died at her home, 975 East Grand boulevard. Mrs. Gagnier had the distinction of being a great-great grandmother. She had 10 children. Grand Rapids-Thos. Condon, a far-

mer living near Moseley, lost his right hand, and eye when a stick of dynamite exploded prematurely. He and Frank Keech, also of Moseley, were in a boat on a small lake near Crann City-when the explosion occurred.

Pontiac -- Following attempts wreck Grand Trunk trains near Holly on two successive nights, five men are serving time in the county jail here on charges of vagrancy. had been piled on the tracks, but were seen in time to prevent trains being

Battle Creek-In a cablegram to his arents here, Frederick H. Zinn, Bat- of the flocks. says that although he suffered a brokwhich his machine was demolished, he be back in service in three days.

Marshall-Owing to the war the Philadelphia bond house which was awarded the Calhoun county road bonds, has refused to float the issue.

Flint-A spark from a brick-hit by chisel caused an explosion in a man hole which blew R. A. Rickey, tele-phone lineman, several feet in the air.

Escanaba-Data compiled by Coun ty Agent Pattison of Delta county in-dicates that Delta county will have 71 per cent more acreage in crops this year than in 1916.

Cadillac A cut on his face, self-inflicted with a razor while he was shaving, caused the death from blood poisoning here of Frank Bruyette, 71 years old, a pioneer resident of the

Port Huron-One thousand "penn" bags" have been distributed in the homes of this city by workers repre-senting the Red Cross society. The money will be collected once a month Larring-Five teachers from Lowell

Mackinac Island -Peter Early, form-

death on his farm while shooting begin reconstruction of the destroye ed wire fence the gun caught and exployed, the charge entering his side. Calumet-The Calumet & Hocla Mining Co. and the Calumet & Ari- city in southern Michiga. It will be

urge their employes to purchase these on Lake St. Chir bonds and will lend all the assistance Plint Mike O'Donobue was arrested while walking out of the Detroit training field of the American Flying

house of correction where he complet- corps, formerly loy aviation Flint grocer, of \$270

Hillsdale—Mrs. Elizabeth Smith, 81, a resident of Hillsdale 62 years, is dead from old age.

Hillsdale-Frank Cook, 52 years old, who has been crippled since childhood, killed himself.

Jackson-Robert-Singles, a trusty at Jackson prison, walked away from the institution. Singles is 72 years old. Adrian-In six months Adrian college will be out of debt. In two years it has been lowered from \$28,000 to \$5

First M. E. chuch, urged suppression of calamity howlers in a sermon boosting the Liberty loan.

Monroe-Owing to the demand for labbr on farms and in the city and to curtail expenses in general, the board of education has decided to discontinue the summer school for the coming sea-

Flint-A foreigner stepped into the Genessee County Savings bank and subscribed for \$100,00 worth of Liberty bonds. He said in broken English that he considered the bonds a good investment and besides he wanted to show his loyalty to the nation.

Saginaw-Twenty passengers on a Pere Marquette train from Flint were victimized by pickpockets either while waiting in the Flint station or shortly after boarding the train.

Pad Axe—This city was given a clean bill of health by representatives of the state fire protective association. The city is entirely free of buildings of the so-called "fire-trap" type, Pontine A letter was received by the local Red Cross needle work guild

and garments sent from here. Traverse City-Maple City contributed 5 per cent of its population to the army when five men enlisted from

Pontiac-Armed with an ax, Mrs.

Anna Kinsman, living on the Mt. Clemens road, attacked Chief of Police Kent when he broke into her home to take charge of the body of her husband, Nicholas Kinsman. The woman is believed to be demented She had refused admission to her home to Coroner Farmer, who had been notified by the attending physician that Kinsman was dying.

GRAZING LAND FOR STOCK IS OFFERED

CATTLE AND SHEEP RAISERS ASKED TO TAKE HERDS TO UPPER PENINSULA.

25,000 ACRES CONTRIBUTED

By Utilizing This Land, Pastures in Lower Peninsular Can Bo Sown to Crops.

(By W. L. CALNON.)

Lansing

The greatest contribution to the food preparedness cause since Michigan's agriculturists took up the hoe in response to President Wilson's call a few weeks ago, has come from the up-per peninsula in the guise of what amounts practically to a gift of 25,000 acres of ideal grazing grounds to state sheepmen and stock raisers.

Men with herds will be permitted to turn them loose on the upper peninsula ranges, fatten them and market them when they are ready. The pastures are capable of supporting approximately 100,000 sheep, or from 10,000 to 12,000 feeding steers.

The offer has brought an immediate response from some of the biggest flock owners in the state, and one of these men has already begun moving -2,000 head of sheep to the Lake Superfor grazing grounds. The cost of trans-portation will be borne by the owners

The project is one of the best that has been devised for promoting food production." says W. F. Raven, livestock extension specialist for the Michigan Agricultural college. "By moving flocks north, the land which they would have required for grazing in southern Michigan can be crops. By using the upper peninsula pastures 25,000 ccres of tillable land in this section of the state can be added to the food producing area."

M. A. C. Engineering Hall Dedicated. The R. E. Olds Hall of Engineering. the gift of the Lansing automobile manufacturer to the engineering de-partment of the Michigan Agricultural college, was dedicated as the closing ceremony of the M. A. C. commence-

ment program. The new structure, with its equip-ment and the adjoining shops, cost in the neighborhood of \$250,000.

Mr. Olds's contribution to the engineering department was \$100,000 This fund he gave immediately following the fire which March 5, 1916, wiped out the old building and shops.

The gift has not covered a half what the hall and shops have cost, but it is generally conceded that if it had not come when it did, there would now be no engineering-department-at the college, and the institution would have had be narrow escape when an auto
in which they were riding studied on a Grand Trunk crossing near here, are given only with the stipulation. They escaped from the car just before that a department of mechanical arts of the stopping that a department of mechanical arts of the stopping that a department of mechanical arts of the stopping that a department of mechanical arts of the stopping that a department of mechanical arts of the stopping that a department of mechanical arts of the stopping that a department of mechanical arts of the stopping that a department of mechanical arts of the stopping that a department of mechanical arts of the stopping that a department of mechanical arts of the stopping that are stopping that a department of mechanical arts of the stopping that are stopping that a department of mechanical arts of the stopping that a department of mechanical arts of the stopping that a department of mechanical arts of the stopping that a department of mechanical arts of the stopping that a department of mechanical arts of the stopping that a department of mechanical arts of the stopping that a department of mechanical arts of the stopping that a department of mechanical arts of the stopping that a department of mechanical arts of the stopping that a department of mechanical arts of the stopping that a department of mechanical arts of the stopping that a department of the stopping that are stopping that a department of the stopping that are stopping that a department of the stopping that are stopping that are stopping that a department of the stopping that are stopping that a and sciences be conducted in conjunction with the agricultural course

The Olds gift enabled the college. er mayor, was accidentally shot to when it was practically moneyless, to

New City in Michigan

Within 60-days there will be a new have each taken, \$500,000 worth equipped with rail, water, light and of the Liberty bonds. Both companies power facilities. From its water front sircraft will soar over the bay to drop bombs on floating targets. The scene
of this animation will be the drill and ed a three months sentence for boot about three miles east of Mt. Clemens legging. He is now charged with holding up and robbing Joe Horodyski, Detroit.

Work already is under way on the extension of the Grand Trunk railway from Mt. Clemens to the field. Within a short time Detroit, Mt. Clemens and other communities in that section daily.

cleared for the building of hangars and barracks, stations provided for the receiving of supplies, water and sew erage systems being laid.

The selection of this field by the government, together with the work already done to manufacture airplane Utica-Dr. George W. Sower, of the engines of superior capacity, is a long First M. E. chuch, urged suppression step toward the establishment of a new and vastly important phase of the automotive industry in Michigan.

Beet Profits Small.

According to a report of the federal trade commission the lowest net pro fits per acre in any beet sugar growing district of considerable size are in Michigan. The highest net profits per acre were found in California. Colorado-and Utah. In these Califor nia districts the net profits range ed from \$38 to \$45 per acre; in Colorado from \$27 to \$37; in Utah from \$25-to-\$27, and in Michigan only \$17.

Nine state commissions with a mem bership of 37 and a state dairy and drug commissioner will be named soon by Gov. Sleeper under legislation passed by the last legislature. Numerous applications have been submitted for each position. Representative Peterman, of Calu-

ment says the Calumet & Hecla, as well as nearly every mining company Pontiae A letter was received by the local Red Cross needle work guild from Lyons, France, acknowledging the receipt of 11,000 bandages, dressings and arments sent from here.

Well as hearly every mining company in the north country is plowing up to the north country is plowing the receipt of 11,000 bandages, dressings land among the heads of families, in plats of 50x100 ft. for potato raising.

Orders to discharge all incompetent officers in the Michigan National guard before the call to federal service on July 15, have been received by Ool. Bersey. In military circles here it is not thought the order will have much effect, as there are said to be few such officers in the Michigan or-

A squadron of cavalry is being raised for Michigan by Captain Hem-rich A. Pickert. It will consist of four troops, two in addition to those nov in existence.

There is no medicine which we bandle that gives such good results as your Swamp-Root. Many of our customers have informed us at different times that they have derived great benefit from its

they have derived great benefit from its use.

There was one case in particular which attracted a great deal of attention in this neighborhood early last Spring, as the gentleman's life was despaired of and two doctors treating him for liver and kidney trouble were unable to give him any relief. Finally a specialist from St. Louis was called in but failed to do him any good. I at last induced him to try your Swamp-Root and after taking it for three months, he was attending to his business usual and is now entirely well. This case has been the means of creating an increased demand for your Swamp-Root with us. increased with us.

Very truly yours,
L. A. RICHARDSON, Druggist.
Marine, Illinois. May 27, 1916. Prove What Swamp-Root Will Do For You Send ten cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., for a sample size bottle. It will convince anyone. You will also receive a booklet of valuable information, telling about the kidneys and bladder. When writing, be sure and mention this paper. Regular fifty-cent and one-dollar size bottles for sale at all drug stores.—Adv.

His Threat.

A month or two after the war started a collier entered a large hotel on Tyneside and ordered refreshments, saying: "Big prices noo; As might as weel be a big man."

On discovering that the waiter was a German, the irate pitman, choking with anger, leaped to his feet, ran the affrighted Tenton to the door, and assisted him into the roadway with his foot, and then, wheeling round upon the trembling, expostulating proprie-

tor, he spluttered! "Man, if ivvor ye dare te set a thunderin' Jarman te wait on me agyen.
An'il twist ye an' him roond yor asn necks, an rum th' pair o' ye haafway doon yor ago throats until thar's now! te be seen ov ye but th' ends ov yor dirty shirt-collars stickin' oot ov yor bloomin' red eyes. Noo ye knaa whaat te expect if ye de!"—London Tit-Rits.

HEAL ITCHING SKINS

With Cuticura Soap and Ointment-They Heal When Others Fall.

Nothing better, quicker, safer, sweeter for skin troubles of young and old that itch, burn, crust, scale, torture or disfigure. Once used always used because these super-creamy emollients tend to prevent little skin troubles becoming serious if used daily

Free sample each by mail with Book Address postcard, Cuticura, Dept. L. Bostoh, Sold everywhere,—Adv.

Canal Zone Pioneers Volunteer. Of the hundreds of Americans who

went to Panama in 1904, when the Americans took possession of the Canal Zone, less than fifty remain on the isthmus. The 1904 men, with whom are included several women, who came as nurses and have remained, have formed an organization, known as the Society of the Incas. of the American occupation of the zone, they hold a banquet. This year, in the thirteen anniversary, they as an organization or as individuals for whatever service the government

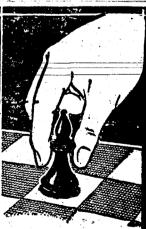
United States, in France or elsewhere. He Was Far-Sighted

An ambitious colored man had quit his job and was being granted a new one with another concern, when his uployer asked him if he could, he ready to commence work in two weeks: He replied; "I fear dat would be difficult for me to be ready in two weeks, but I could be ready in one week shore.

"How's that?" asked his employer. "Well, in one week I can finish de garden work," was his answer, "but if I is home the one week more de missus would be rushin' me into de middle of house-cleanin'."-The Christian Herald.

"You ought to be proud of your "We are: He volunteered to serve his country without insisting on being enlisted as an officer."

You can't always keep your neigh-



A Wise

Move

is to change from coffee to

POSTUM

before the harm is done.

There's a Reason"

and Townships.

At a meeting of the directors of

Crawford County Chapter of Ameri-

can Red Cross yesterday afternoon it

was decided to hold special member

ship campaign days in Grayling and

in the several townships of the county.

cover the village of Grayling, making

a systematic canvas Wednesday next

ships will be received. It is intended

ships to have a committee from Gray-

township meetings are not complete

however it is expected that these will

be held in the town halls or school

houses and be opened at about 7 p. m.

Lovells township meeting will be at

The local committee suggests that

The money is needed in Crawford county with which to purchase sup-

plies, which will be made into ban-

dages, aprons, hospital garments and

other necessities. Those who wish to

contribute more than \$1.00, the com-

mittee suggests, may give the money

directly in the County chapter. Here

it will assist in many ways in getting

Of course everybody is interested

committee will appreciate every bit of

services in the membership campaign.

The supervisors of the several townhips are members of the Board of di-

ling, Thursday, June 1... the days selected to close the mem-

Methodist Episcopal Church Notes

SUNDAY SERVICES.

On Sunday afternoon June 10th a special "Oddfellow" sermon will be

quest of the Order. I shall be glad to see every Oddfellow present, Time 2:00 o'clock.

BRAINS AND SKILL.

What They Have Contributed to the Motorist's Pleasure.

that they render the splendid service

and, in some respects, delicate ma

"In the average car to day there

are from twenty five hundred to three

thousand parts. In the motor alone are several hundreds of these. From

our experience with the simple tools

we all use in our daily work, we know

the possibility of any one part giving

trouble. If we were told to operate a

machine built of three thousand parts

we would wish we were expert me chanics."

forges while others are so minute and

they do, "says A. M. Lewis, the druggist and local dealer in Oldsmobiles."We now rely on them so confidently that we lose sight of the fact that they are in truth wonderful, complicated and, in some

chinery.'

The most surprising thing about automobiles to me is the simple fact

bership campaign.

in the Douglas pavilion at Lovells.

of the board of directors.

year up to \$100.

local chapter gets nothing.

the work started.

Thursday next, June 14, the super-

Crawford Avalanche

GRAYLING, THURBDAY, JUNE



COUNTY ROAD SYSTEM ADOPT-ED BY LARGE MAJORITY.

But One Township in County to Vote it Down.

The county road system question, which was presented to the voters in a special election Monday of this week was carried by a arge majority.

Beaver Creek and Lovells had clean slates with no discenting votes. The precinct of Deward in Frederic township also voted unanimously for it. South Branch township was the only one with a majority against it.

The vote in the several townships

	Yes.	No.
Grayling	228	16
Frederic	27:	26
" Pre. No. 2	13	
Maple Forest	22	5
South Branch	.10	17
Beaver Creek	23	
Lovella	14	_
7.	337	64

It is expected that the Board of supervisors will convene soon and elect three county road commissioners

FOR QUICK RESULTS USE OUR WANT COLUMN The Cost Is Small.

ARTHUR POURNIER, FORMER GRAYLING BOY COMPOSES NEW WAR SONG.

For the Glory of the U.S. A.," Patriotic Melody, is Stirring the West.

The front page of the Los Angeles Evening Herald, of May 15th, is devoted mostly to something which no doubt will be of interest to Grayling eople and the many friends of Arthur de l'ournier. He with Michael ody is stirring the west, and is the opinion that this song will become as 'Star Spangled Banner'' or any other

of our patriotic airs. Mr. Fournier is the son of Mrs. Lucien Fournier of Royal Oak, formerly and he is considered as one of the confines of Michigan greatest musicians in the west. He sical comedy entitled "Up in the Air" for a year or more, which is just about music for the comedy, and words to

many of the songs. Mr. Fournier is following up his musical career with remarkable success, and the Avalanche join with his many friends in congratulating him upon the same.

	Crawford County Registered 421.
	The registration in the several town-
-	ships was as follows.
	Beaver Creek24
=	Frederic56
	Maple Forest13
	Grayling292
	South Branch20
-	Lovells16

Among those who registered there of our alien enemies.

SUBSCRIBE FOR THE AVALANCHE. trial.

Local News **************

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Jerome are in Detroit to attend the marriage of their son George, which is to occur next Saturday.

The Eastern Star Chapter beld initiation last evening and at this time, Miss Eulah Maxwell was initiated into the order.

Hubbard Head, of South Branch arrange for meetings in their home township, one of the earliest settlers communities where the Red Cross and best known men of this County, work will be explained and memberan ex-soldier in the war of the Rebelsopular to the American people as the lion, was mustered out yesterday af- at the several meetings in the town

C. J. Hathaway is getting a new lens grinding machine for his optical de- Supervisors, all of whom are members partment. C. J. is surely keeping upof this city. He graduated with high to-date and is recognized as one of the honors from our High school. Most leading optometrists in the countryof his life has been devoted to music, His reputation has spread beyond the

Thursday, June 14 is Flag day. has been working on a wonderful mu- Governor Sleeper suggests that there be flags displayed from every public building and, so far as practicable, on completed. He has written all the all private dwellings, and also that all our people, both young and old, wear mineature flags upon their person.

> Announcements were received by Grayling friends this morning of the memberships costing from \$1.00 per marriage of Miss Gertrude Julia Swanson to Mr. Harry A. Lundberg and Miss Thyra Elizabeth, Swanson to Tracy T. Vanucie, that occurred Fri- couraged and not the larger amounts. day, June 1, at San Francisco, Calif. One half of the \$1.00 subscriptions is The brides are daughters of Mr. and left with the Crawford County chap-Mrs. Peter Swanson of Aberdeen, ter and the balance must be sent to Wash., who formerly resided in Grayling. They attended the Grayling tou. \$10 and \$25 subscriptions must schools here and have a host of friends be paid in full to the National and th who extend congratulations and best

Has a Good Opinion of Chamberlain's Tablets.

"Chamberlain's Tablets are a wor der. I never sold anything that heat them," writes F. B. Tressey, Rich-mond, Ky. When troubled with indi-gestion or constipation give them a

Red Cross Will Make Mem ship Campaigns in City

Advertisements will be accepted under this heading at the rate of 5 cents per line. No adv. taken for less than 15 cents. There are about six words to the line. SEND MONEY WITH, THE ORDER,

LOST—Wednesday, a gold bar pin with small pearl setting. Finder kindly return same to Miss Brasic at the Emil Kraus store.

WANTED—A vacum cleaner, to rent Phone 303.

HOUSES FOR SALE—I have over fifty houses to dispose of immediately at Deward, Mich. Anyone wishing a brain in number now is your chares. S. C. Pettigrove, Deward, Mich. 6-7-3

FOR SALE—Boy's second hand bicy-cle, in good condition, 16 inch frame, John Phelps. 6-7-3 Arrangements at this time for the

FOR RENT—Rooms over the Lewis Drug store. Inquire of T. Boeson. Phone 573. 5-31-2

FOR RENT-Garage. Good location Phone 464. Mrs. Wm. Havens,

PIANO TUNING—Expert work, have tuned over 1,000 pianos and can guarantee satisfaction every time. Also Piano repairing. G. F. Burns-Leave orders at C. J. Hathaway's Jewelry store, Grayling, Phone 1273. the above mentioned time and be held Those in authority are requested to get as many members before the cam paign days above mentioned, as possible. There are several kinds of

LOTS FOR SALE—The best bargain in Grayling—four lots, one a corner lot, for \$150.00 cash. Inquire at Avalanche office. 5-24-3

the \$1 00 per year memberships be en-FOR SALE—Horse and new burgy For sale or trade for stock F. H Milks. 5-24-4

VANTED—Girl for general house-work. Apply to Mrs. A. L. Phelps, Game preserve, Grayling, or phone 75-3r. 5-24-3 the National Red Cross at Washing-

FOR SALE—Team of horses. Weight about 2,200 lbs. Good general pur-pose team. Cheap if taken at once. Apply to A. L. Phelps, Game pre-serve, Grayling, or phone 75-3r. 24-3

FOR SALE—A desirable building lot in splendid part of city. A. M. Lew-

FOR SALE—One black mare, weight 950 lbs., one single horse wagon, new last year, one pair sleighs, one pair cutter runners, one buggy, one sulky, two sets single harness. Will be sold cheap by J. C. Foreman.

GIRL WANTED—For general house-work. Phone 1112, or inquire at Avalanche office, Grayling.

tee will appreciate every bit of the EGGS for hatching. From thorobred them. In the EGGS for hatching. From thorobred Barred Plymouth Rocks. \$1.00 per a invitation is extended to any Runting. age, an invitation is extended to any

Notice of hearing Claims before

STATE OF MICHIGAN County of Crawford.
In the matter of the estate of Peter

Chairmen T. W. Hanson or Secretary
Mrs. Olaf Michelson are in direct authority in the city.

Do not forget the membership campaign days—Grayling, Wednesday,
June 13, Townships outside of Gray
ling, Thursday, June 14. These are
the days selected to sleep the membership campaint of the control of the contro June 13, Townships outside of Grayquired to present, their claims to said court, at the probate office, in the village of Grayling, in said county, on or before the 5th day of October, A.D. 1917, and that said claims will be heard be write court of the court o by said court on Monday the 5th day of October, A.D. 1917, at ten o'clock in

Dated June 4th, A. D. 1917.
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1878

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The Pioneer Store

First Class Goods. Right Prices.

Always Cur Motto.

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THE BIGGEST CHANCE OF THE SEASON

Is now on at Frank's to Buy Your Shoes

At a sacrifice price, considering high prices which are staring you in the face. Broken sizes in ladies' and men's shoes at actually old prices—button and lace, different widths. I have had the largest May month since coming to Grayling and I am going to make it one better and make June my banner month,

Ladies' Shoes

Over 100 pairs of ladies' walk-ing shoes, worth \$3.00 and \$3,50 \$1.89 tans and blacks, at-

One line of ladies' lace shoes \$1.88 worth \$2.50 and \$3.00, for.... This is quoted from old prices, mind you One line of ladies' shoes, pat-

top, lace, in brown, gray and champagne top, worth \$3.00 and \$2.48

I have latest things in ladies' Tennis High Shoes, rubber sole and heel, also pumps that are very dressy, patterned after-the \$5.00 and \$6.00 shoes in style.

To the Mothers

Boys' elk skins at \$1.98—the price I sold at when they were the very lowest. Bring your children here to buy their shoes, as old prices still prevail.

Underwear and Shirts

When it comes to summer underwear and sport shirts, I laid a good line in last fall for spring trade. They start at old prices—50c and up.

Good dress shirts at 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.25 -all late patterns.

Suit Cases

A big line from New York of all descriptions and sizes.

Straw Hats

Remember the straw hat season is on now. Get your hat here.

Just One Word to the Men

One lot of Oxfords worth \$4.00 \$7 89

In the English dress shoes I

have just received a line of dark browns, worth \$10.00 for

The noted Rice & Hutchins shoes in

In all late styles, button or lace.

and know whereof I speak. Men's elk skins at \$2.29 and \$2.48, tan

and black, actually worth \$3.00 and \$3.25, under prices of today. When it comes to that work stuff here's where you get it at prices that cannot very well be duplicated.

and all prices that were bought 20 per cent below regular price.

Men's rubber boots at \$2.98, bright finish. Also the red at \$3.95.

Clothing! Clothing!!

Get my prices as the stock is getting broken in sizes already.

Get the Habit and go to the Lemon Colored Store on the Hill

Frank Dreese

A good shoe in lace or button \$3.50 and

Florsheim, while they last, has advanced to \$8,00 and \$10.00 for \$5.50 and \$6.00. Lace and button, tan and black.

signet and all America for \$4.50 and \$5.00.

I am here to tell you that it is impossible to beat my prices, as I took advantage

"Besides involving scores of mechanical principles, many of which are new to the mechanical world, au tomobile construction embodies many principles of electricity, and of hot and cold water, and of lubrication, etc. Some of the parts are shaped by Tennis shoes-I have them in all kinds the mighty blows of monster drop

delicate they exact the care and pains of a watchmaker." "And when all this is assembled together, it is mounted on wheels, and given over to people from every walk

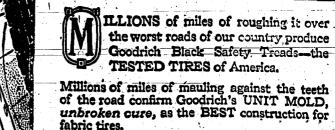
Thigh fishing boots at \$4.85. Also hip boots in B. F. Goodrich line at \$7.00. of life, to use with care or speed at sixty miles an hour." "It's the brains of the automobile engineers, and the skill of the motor car mechanics, and the science and

exactness of the army of inspectors that have made the automobile the de-

pendable vehicle it is. In the Oldsmobile factory, for instance, a corps of inspectors equipped with every appliance, carefully handles all materials received. Then it has been made up into various units such as motors, axles, etc., these units are, also put theu an uncompromising test. They in turn are compromising test. They in turn are assembled into the chassis and given over to the road testers, who are unrelenting in their efforts to find something wrong. The bodies are then mounted and the car carefully completed and passed on to final inspection. Here every Oldsmobile undergoes a most rigid examination and must measure up in every detail to the factory high standards."

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the worst roads of our country produce Goodrich Black Safety Treads-the-TESTED TIRES of America. Millions of miles of mauling against the teeth of the road confirm Goodrich's UNIT MOLD,

Millions of miles ground over sand, rock and gravel by Goodrich's Six Fleets of Test Cars eliminate the RISK, preserve the BEST, in

tires for you. Millions of miles whirled off by the six fleets amidst New England hills, the pine lands of Dixle, the peaks of Yellowstone and Glacice Parks, on the plains of Kansac, beside the Minnesota lakes, and along the Pacific Coast make Goodrich Tires TESTED by ALL America.

Get the benefit of the lessons of these millions of miles of tire testing—only the BEST survives THE TEST—in Goodrich, matchless fabric tires—Black Safety Treads.

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Has it ever occurred to you that a mistake in compounding your prescription may mean your death? How important, then, that you take them to a competent, careful pharmacist!

OUR RECORD

In all of the years we have been serving this community we are proud to say that not a single mistake has been charged up to us. We take every possible precaution to guard your life and your health. May we serve you?

A. M. LEWIS

Your Druggist

Local News

GRAYLING, THURSDAY, JUNE

Miss Nellie Charlefour was in

verine last Thursday. Miss Maude Frary of Gaylord is of her mother, Mrs. Ambrose Cross. visiting her aunt, Mrs. Grant Shaw

here for a week. June is the month of pearls. See the splendid assortment at Hatha-

way's in rings and strands. Mrs. George Thompson and chilents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. A. Hodge.

Mrs. John Burke of Frederic and infant daughter were brought to Mercy hospital last Friday for treatment.

Mrs. David Montour and daughter, Bernadette, returned Monday from a chestra will furnish the music. Ev- Northern Michigan, says that his few days visit with relatives in Stan gryone is cordially invited. Bill 75c.

Axel Jorgenson came home from Mrs. James Jorgenson.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Geigler of Bea- ulations. ertou and Mr. and Mrs. David Howe M. W. Nicolls at Portage lake.

Mrs. J. C. Foreman and daughter, Mrs. J. C. Foreman and daughter, friends. The family expect to return Miss Marie returned last Saturday friends. The family expect to return home the latter part of the week. from a several week's visit with relatives and friends in Grand Rapids.

home of Mrs. Andrew Bathoff Wed. seven o clock, to open acquired mer old residents of Grayling now mesday afternoon, June 14. Mrs. Bal day with the right spirit. Immediate mer old residents of Grayling now making Flint their home, are here to

Erank Krafft of Port Huron, a-mem now stationed at Fort Wayne, spent Wild West. See their ad on the last ant visit. Mrs. McNeven, Sunday and Monday visiting friends Page. The Daily Journal of Bidde-

Mrs. Fred Brown Sr., left-Tuesday morning for New York to visit relaives and friends at her old home in amail suburb town. She expects to be gone about three months.

The I. O. O. F. will hold their memorial day Sunday, June 10. All Oddfellows and Rehekahs are requested to meet at I. O. O. F. hall at 1:00

o'clock p. m. of that day. Miss Ethel Madell, having finished her term of school at Munger, Mich. is-at-the home of her sister, Mrs. Clayton Tennant of DuPont avenue, with

Mrs. Hans Petersen and Mrs. Earl W. Dawson and children spent several days of last week in Johannesburg visiting Mrs. Andrew Larson. Mr. Petersen and Mr. Dawson drove up Sunday after their families returning in the afternoon of the same day.

Mrs. Scott Loader and youngest daughter Mary arrived Saturday from Detroit and spent a few days fisiting Mrs. Loader's father, John O. Goudrow and other relatives. Mr. and Mrs Loader were former residents of Grayling and moved to Detroit about three years ago where Mr. Loader is proprietor of a barber shop.

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See Geo. L. Alexander & Son befor ourchasing automobile insurance. The June bride will be pleased with the many suitable gifts to be found at

Hathaway's. Mrs. Edward Phelps of Detroit was guest of Mrs. J. C. Burton, Sunday

of last week. Mrs. C. F. LaRue of Caro, Mich

Miss Norma Sorenson of Manistee visited Mrs. Arnold Lauridson last Monday and Tuesday, enroute from Johannesburg to her home.

The Pomona Grange of Roscommon county, and the Crawford County dren of Atlanta, are visiting her par- grange will hold a picuic at the farm home of Perry Ostrander, Saturday, at Frederic, is visiting her daughter, June 23, with basket lunch. 6-7-2

theatre next Friday evening. Dancing will begin at 9:00 and Clark's or-

Mrs. T. P. Peterson early this morn-bonds Detroit last Saturday to spend the ing. The little lady weighed 9% Detroit last Saturday to spend the ing. The little lady weighed 9½ George W. McCuitough, Alien B, summer with his parents, Mr. and pounds. Just at present the daddy is Falling, W. E. Russell and Oscar So-

-Cameron-Game left Tuesday for of Holly spent Sunday at the home of Marion, Mich., to visit his wife and lodge at Flint. daughter, who have been spending several weeks with relatives and

The Hospital aid will meet at the Mary's church Tuesday morning at for the same firm at Washburn, Wis. Monday. the Blessed sacrament was given.

Circus is coming to this town Monparade to the final number there was not a dull moment."

Miss Helen Winslow, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Winslow, former Parker were united in marriage at the

daughter will remain for a longer vis-

Commencing with next Sunday St. Mary's Catholic church in this city damaged, we also stated that Mr. Kelwill be held at 7:00 and 9:00 a.m. in-logg was implicated in a similar head-stead of at 8:000 and 10:15 a.m. This change will hold good for the summer

5-31-2 Rev. John J. Riess, pastoria

rival of triplets in their home Tues tion in justice to Mr. Kellogg. It may day morning. Hardly had the little be of interest to know that Mr. Kuehl, visitors seen the light of day before mentioned above, is now located in turing Nance O'Neil the factory whistles and church bells Buffalo and is doing service in a fed-Registration day was here and the ready to register their names for ser- notcher. vice to their country under the stars and stripes. It was a happy day in the Rood family and the proud-parents vouch for the fealty of the two little soldiers and Red Cross nurse. May they live long and prosper and be a credit to the flag under which

The accident industrial appeal case Supreme court. There is no doubt Board is an injustice to them. There is probably no more liberal Corporation in America with their employees

Going On Cash Basis. On and after June 15, 1917, this market will go onto a strictly cash basis. 5-31-3 F. H. Milks.

Miss Frida Olson spent Sunday with friends in Bay City.

Guy Pringle visited at Bay City last Sunday.

Nr P. Olson is building a brick garage at his home. Buy a Liberty bond. Easy payment

plan. Ask for particulars at the Mrs. B. Peter Johnson and children of Frederic visited relatives here last

Sunday. .Herbert Trudeau spent the latter part of the week in Cheboygan and Onaway.

"Budiness as usual is America's slogan," so buy a Liberty Bond and a diamond too at Hathaway's.

Mrs. C. K. Jones of Standish is visiting her sister. Miss Nora Nye at the tome of Hart Haire, this city.

Harvey Burrows of Flint is visiting is brother, Arnold here, and is assisting in the Game & Burrows market. Miss Flora Borchers of the H. Peter

en grocery left Monday to enjoy a week's vacation with friends in Hart The St. Helens column of the Ros-

common Herald-News says Mr. and Mrs. Ingram of Beaver Lake have moved to Grayling. A large fine new moose head, the

emblem of the Moose lodge now adorns the walls of the local lodge rooms. It was purchased recently in Nebraska.

Floyd McClain and Leo Schram left for Bay City Saturday. The former will remain in Bay City for some time. was called here last week by the death Mr. Schram returned home the next day.

Miss Laudra Neilsen of Flint spent Sunday at the home of her sister, Mrs. Will J. Heric. Miss Laudra came to attend the Senior banquet last Fri-

Mrs Mary Vallad of Pinconning, who has been caring for her daughter, Mrs. Joseph Morancy and other rela-There will be a dance at the Temple | tives here for a week or more.

Fred Hunter of this city, salesman eryone is cordially invited. Bill 75c. Company has purchased a half mil-A daughter was born to Mr. and lion dollars' worth of Liberty Loan

the happiest man in town. Congrat- derquist, members of the local lodge L.O.O.M., left Monday night to attend the State convention of the Moose

J. W. Johnson, Sigward Melmo and Auf Hanson, who have been working with the construction forces at the DuPont-for the past year, left Tues-High mass was celebrated at St day to work in a similar capacity

pend the summer among their sons They are also calling on many of ber-of-Co-C., 33rd-Mich. Infantry, day, June 18. LaTena Circus and their old friends and having a pleasquite elderly, is busying herself dur ford. Maine, says "From the opening ing her stay here knitting wristlets to be sent to the soldiers. This indeed shows patriotism.

> Miss Gladys Dekette and Mr. Ceeil residents of Grayling, graduated May home of the bride last Sunday after-29th from the Ellensburg, Washington noon. Rev. Aaron Mitchell tied the State Normal school, one of a class of knot, the ceremony taking place at 118. Miss Winslow graduated from 3:00 o'clock in the afternoon. Miss Florence Parker the groom's sister, Mr. Jaud Mrs. Paul Ziehell and and Mr. Joseph Foster of West Branch daughter, Helen left yesterday on a attended the young couple. They visit to Harbor Beach and Port Hope, left Monday morning on a honeymoon Mr. Ziebell will return to his duties as trip in the northern part of the state, clerk in the Company store after a expecting to be gone a month. Mr. Tuesday evening. Mrs. Emma Salt week's vacation, but Mrs. Ziebell and Parker has been employed at the Mod- was present from Port Huron, and el bakery for the past two years.

In announcing an auto accident be-June 3, 1917, the Sunday services in shall wherein both cars were badly Reuben S. Babbitt, Since our last publication we have learned that instead of Carl Kellogg it was Carl Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rood of the Kuehl who had the accident with Mr. South side, are happy over the ar. Babbitt's car. We make this correcheralded forth the announcement that eral aviation corps. If he is as daring and nervy a flyer as he appears to be a young men of conscription age were car driver he should become a top-

Contractor George Lather of Trav erse City was awarded last week Thursday, the contract to build at the Hanson State military reservation a \$25,000 hospital, a \$10,000 administration building and a 40x130 foot ware house. The hospital is to be built of brick and will be two stories 32x136 ft. the administration building will be between the DuPont company and built of wood and veneered with stuc-Andrew Mazor of this city has been co. This will be 35x66 feet. The reversed by the State Accident In warehouse will be of brick. Mr. Lathdustrial board in favor of Mr. Mazor. er already has his crew at work on the The Company was represented by construction of a \$25,000 club house. Geo. L. Alexander and the case was This latter will be size 40x120 feet with decided in their favor in the lower a twelve foot porch entire length of court. Glen Smith represented Ma- the front and two sides. It will be aczor. General Manager C. T. Clark of ranged for, a modern club and have a the DuPont company has announced ball room 40x60 feet, besides parlors that the case would be appealed to the rest rooms, billiard room and other features. It seems that since Mr. but that the DuPont company feel Lather built us our school house anythat the decision of the Industrial thing in the building line, in and about Grayling, the people just simply can't get along without him. He has more than delivered the goods in every than the DuPonts. They pay the best | building he has constructed. Among of wages, look after the welfare of the latter besides the school house their employees and pay them liberal are Shoppenagon's Inn, a double store bonuses. Men once in their employ building for Victor Salling and the seldom ever leave to seek employment new T. Hanson and Dr. Kesport resi-



Some facts you should know-about shoes

There has been a great change in the manufacture of footwear the last two seasons. Leather has been high and scarce and more and more shoes are being made with substitutes for leather in the heels, counters and insoles.

Nowadays, when you buy shoes only from "outside appearance" you're apt to be disappointed in their wear quite frequently. The right way to buy them is by their reputation.

That's why we are so enthusiastic about "Star Brand" shoes. They are made as shoes should be—all good leather from heel to toe—no "paper" or any other substitute for leather in any part of them. They are made for men, women, boys and girls—a shoe for every member of the family—all grades, styles and prices—dress, medium weight and work shoes.

You'll be sure to like "Star Brand" all-leather shoes, not only for their splendid wearing quality, but also for their style, fit and comfort.

Come to our store and let us fit you with what we believe to be the world's best shoes.

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"Star Brand Shoes Are Better

They Cost less per Month

Don't forget that Hathaway's stock

Mrs. Lucile Baker of Bay City was in Grayling on business last: Friday Frank Michelson and family of De-

their summer cottage at Portage lake. There will be no services at the Dansh-Lutheran church next Sunday o account of the absence of Rev. Kjøl-

Expressman Guy Pringle has been ordered to Macinaw Island and will leave at once. He will be succeeded by Merrill Jereau of Bay City. Mr. Pringle expects to return to Grayling

The local order of the Ladies' Benefit association held a pleasant meeting four new applications were voted on. correspondent.

"Seven Deadly Sins," a new shor serial is running at the Opera house every Monday evening. "Envy" was the first, which was shown May 28th. Last Monday evening the second installment was "Pride." This is a very popular serial and is drawing large crowds each Monday evening. It features some of the very best noted movie actors and actresses. Next Monday evening will be "Greed," fea-

Misses Flora Malco and Celia Caha- Miss Vera Shier has been visiting

Mrs. Albert Hake and her little dabut er, Melita of Dickinson, North Dakota, arrived here last Friday to visit relatives and friends during the summer months. They are guests at the home of Mrs. Fischer's sister-in-law, troit, arrived here Monday and are at Mrs. Edward Sorenson

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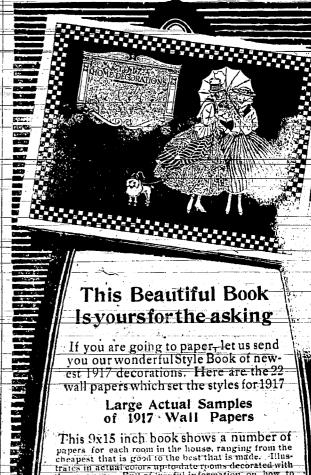
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GRAYLING, THURSDAY, JUNE



COUNTY ROAD SYSTEM ADOPT-ED BY LARGE MAJORITY.

But One Township in County to Vote it Down.

The county road system question, which was presented to the voters in a special election Monday of this week, was carried by a arge majority.

Beaver Creek and Lovells had clean alates with no discenting votes. The presinct of Deward in Frederic township also voted unanimously for it. South Branch township was the only one with a majority against it.

The vote in the several townships

Grayling	228 1
Frederic	27 2
" Pre. No. 2	13
Maple Forest	22
South Branch	10 1
Beaver Creek	23 -
Lovella	14 -
	337 6

It is expected that the Board of supervisors will convene soon and elect three county road commissioners

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ARTHUR FOURNIER, FORMER GRAYLING BOY COMPOSES NEW WAR SONG.

For the Glory of the U. S. A., Patriotic Melody, is Stirring

The front page of the Los Augeles Evening Herald, of May 15th, is devoted mostly to something which no doubt will be of interest to Grayling people, and the many friends of Arthur M. Fournier. He with Michael Corper as authur, has composed a new war song, entitled "For the Glory of the U. S. A." This new patriotic melody is stirring the west, and is the opinion that this song will become as opular to the American people as the 'Star Spangled Banner' or any other

of our patriotic airs.

Mr. Fournier is the son of Mrs. Luand he is considered as one of the greatest musicians in the west. He has been working on a wonderful mu-aical comedy entitled "Up in the Air" for a year or more, which is just about building and, so far as practicable, on completed. He has written all the all private dwellings, and also that all music for the comedy, and words to our people, both young and old, wear many of the songs.

Mr. Fournier is following up his musical career with remarkable success, and the Avalanche join with his marriage of Miss Gertrude Julia Swanmany friends in congratulating him upon the same.

_	ships was as follows.	
	Beaver Creek.	
	Frederic	
	Maple Forest	
	Grayling	
	South Branch	
	Lovens	10

Total.....421 Among those who registered there was not one who was a citizen of any

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Florsheim, while they last, has advanced

The noted Rice & Hutchins shoes in

I am here to tell you that it is impossi-

ble to beat my prices, as I took advantage

signet and all America for \$4.50 and \$5.00.

to \$8.00 and \$10.00 for \$5.50 and \$6.00.

In the English dress shoes I have just received a line of dark

browns, worth \$10.00 for___

Lace and button, tan and black.

In all late styles, button or lace.

and know whereof I speak.

one better and make June my banner month.

Ladies' Shoes

One line of ladies' lace shoes \$1.88 worth \$2.50 and \$3.00, for_____

This is quoted from old prices, mind you

ent and gun metal vamp, cloth top, lace, in brown, gray and champagne top, worth \$3.00 and \$2.48

I have latest things in ladies' Tennis High Shoes, rubber sole and heel, also

pumps that are very dressy, patterned after

To the Mothers

at when they were the very lowest. Bring

your children here to buy their shoes, as

Underwear and Shirts

When it comes to summer underwear

Good dress shirts at 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.25

Suit Cases

A big line from New York of all descriptions and sizes.

Straw Hats

Remember the straw hat season is on

Frank Dreese

and sport shirts, I laid a good line in last fall for spring trade. They start at old prices—50c and up.

Boys' elk skins at \$1.98—the price I sold

the \$5.00 and \$6.00 shoes in style.

old prices still prevail.

-all late patterns.

now. Get your hat here.

One line of ladies' shoes, pat-

Over 100 pairs of ladies' walk-

ing shoes, worth \$3.00 and \$3.50 tans and blacks, at_____

At a sacrifice price, considering high prices which

Local News

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Jerome are in Detroit to attend the marriage of their Detroit to attend the marriage of their ship campaign days in Grayling and in the several townships of the county.

The Eastern Star Chapter held initiation last evening and at this time, Miss Eulah Maxwell was initiated into the order.

Hubbard Head, of South Branch and best known men of this County, an ex-soldier in the war of the Rebel-

cien Fournier of Royal Oak, formerly partment. C. J. is surely keeping upof this city. He graduated with high to-date and is recognized as one of the honors from our High school. Most leading optometrists in the country. of his life has been devoted to music, His reputation has spread beyond the confines of Michigan.

Thursday, June 14 is Flag day. Governor Sleeper suggests that there be flags displayed from every public mineature flags upon their person.

Announcements were received by Grayling friends this morning of the son to Mr. Harry A. Lundberg and Miss Thyra Elizabeth Swanson to Tracy T. Vanucie, that occurred Fri-Crawford County Registered 421. day, June 1, at San Francisco, Calif. The registration in the several town. The brides are daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Swanson of Aberdeen, who extend congratulations and best local chapter gets nothing.

> Has a Good Opinion of Chamberlain's Tablets.

"Chamberlain's Tablets are a wonder., I never sold anything that beat them," writes F. B. Tressey, Rich-mond, Ky. When troubled with indigestion or constipation give them a

ship Campaigns in City and Townships.

meeting of the directors of Crawford County Chapter of Amerioan Red Cross yesterday afternoon it was decided to hold special member-

Committees will be appointed to cover the village of Grayling, making systematic canvas Wednesday next. Thursday next, June 14, the super

risors of the several townships will arrange for meetings in their home township, one of the earliest settlers communities where the Red Cross work will be explained and member ships will be received. It is intended lion, was mustered out yesterday af-ternoon. Further notice next week. ships to have a committee from Grayships to have a committee from Gray C. J. Hathaway is getting a new lens ling present to assist the Township grinding machine for his optical de-

of the board of directors. Arrangements at this time for th township meetings are not complete however it is expected that these will be held in the town halls or school houses and be opened at about 7 p. m. Lovells township meeting will be at the above mentioned time and be held in the Douglas pavilion at Lovells.

Those in authority are requested to get as many members before the campaign days above mentioned, as possible. There are several kinds of memberships costing from \$1.00 per year up to \$100.

The local committee suggests that the \$1.00 per year memberships be encouraged and not the larger amounts. One half of the \$1.00 subscriptions is left with the Crawford County chapter and the balance must be sent to Washi, who formerly resided in Gray, the National Red Cross at Washing. ling. They attended the Grayling tou. \$10 and \$25 subscriptions must schools here and have a host of friends be paid in full to the National and the

The money is needed in Crawford county with which to purchase supplies, which will be made into bandages, aprons, hospital garments and contribute more than \$1.00, the com mittee suggests, may give the money directly in the County chapter. Here it will assist in many ways in getting

Of course everybody is interested n Red Cross work and will want to issist in the work of getting organized and getting members. The executive ssistance afforded them. In the ownships as well as in Grayling village, an invitation is extended to any and all who care to do so; to call or some one in authority and offer their

Methodist Episcopal Church Notes.

SUNDAY SERVICES Morning service at 10:30 o'clock

Evening service at 7:00. On Sunday afternoon June 10th a special "Oddfellow" sermon will be preached in the M. E. church by request of the Order. I shall be glad to see every Oddfellow present. Time

Speaker, Aaron Mitchell.

BRAINS AND SKILL.

What They Have Contributed to the Motorist's Pleasure.

The most surprising thing about automobiles to me is the simple fact that they render the splendid service ney do, "says A. M. Lewis, the drug gist and local dealer in Oldsmobiles "We now rely on them so confidently that we lose sight of the fact that they are in truth wonderful, complicated, and, in some respects, delicate ma chinery.'

"In the average car to-day there are from twenty five hundred to three thousand parts: In the motor alone are several hundreds of these. From our experience with the simple tools we all use in our daily work, we know the possibility of any one part-giving trouble. If we were told to operate a machine built of three thousand parts we would wish we were expert mechanies."

"Besides involving scores of mechanical principles, many of which are new to the mechanical world, automobile construction embodies many and cold water, and of lubrication, etc. Some of the parts are shaped by the mighty blows of monster drop delicate they exact the care and pains of a watchmaker."

Then it has been made up into various units such as motors, axies, etc., these units are also put thru an uncompromising test. They in turn are assembled into the chassis and given over to the road testers, who are unrelenting in their efforts to find something wrong. The bodies are then mounted and the car carefully completed and passed on to final inspection. Here every Oldsmobile undergoes a most rigid examination and must measure up in every detail to the factory highstandards."

Advertisements will be accepted under this heading at the rate of 5 couts per line. No adv. taken for less than 15 cents. There are about air words to the knessend MONEY WITH THE ORDER,

LOST—Wednesday, a gold bar pin with small pearl setting. Finder kindly return same to Miss Brasic at the Emil Kraus store.

WANTED-A vacum cleaner, to rent.

HOUSES FOR SALE—I have over fifty houses to dispose of imrediate-iy at Deward, Mich. Anyone wishing a bargain in lumber now is your chance. S. C. Pettigrove, Deward, Mich. 6-7-3

FOR SALE—Boy's second hand bicy-cle, in good condition, 16 inch frame, John Phelps. 6-7-3

FOR RENT—Rooms over the Lewis
Drug store. Inquire of T. Bosson.
Phone 573.
5-31-2

FOR RENT-Garage. Good location Phone 464. Mrs. Wm. Havens,

PIANO TUNING—Expert work, have tuned over 1,000 pianos and can guarantee satisfaction every time. Also Piano repairing. G. F. Burns.
Leave orders at C. J. Hathaway's Jewelry store, Grayling, Phone 1273.

OTS FOR SALE-The best bargain in Grayling—four lots, one a corner lot, for \$150.00 cash. Inquire at Avalanche office. 5-24-3

OR SALE—Horse and new burgy. For sale or trade for stock. F. H. Milks. 5-24-4

WANTED—Girl for general house-work. Apply to Mrs. A L. Phelps, Game preserve, Grayling, or phone 75-3r. 5-24-3

FOR SALE—Team of horses. Weight about 2,200 lbs. Good general purpose team. Cheap if taken at once, Apply to A. L. Phelps, Game preserve, Grayling, or phone 75-3r. 24-3

FOR SALE—A desirable building lot in splendid part of city. A. M. Lewis.

FOR SALE.—One black mare, weight 950 lbs.; one single horse wagon, new last year, one pair sleighs, one pair cutter runners, one buggy, one sulky, two sets single harness. Will be sold cheap by J. C. Foreman.

GIRL WANTED—For general house-work. Phone 1112, or inquire at Avalanche office, Grayling. EGGS for hatching. From thorobred Barred-Plymouth Rocks: \$1.00 per setting (15 eggs.) Phone 713, J. M. Bunting.

Notice of hearing Claims before

STATE OF MICHIGAN

ships are members of the Board of directors and they would be the right
ones to apply to outside of Grayling.
Chairmrn T. W. Hanson or Secretary
Mrs. Olaf Michelson are in direct authority in the city.

Do not forget the membership campaign days—Grayling, Wednesday
June 13, Townships outside of Grayling, Thursday, June 14. These are the days selected to close the membership campaign.

Methodist Episcopal Church Notes:

Mark Probate Court for the court for the marker of the estate of Peter Michelson, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that four months from the fifth day of June. A.

D. 1917, have been allowed for creditors to present their claims—against said—deceased to said court for examination—and adjustment, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims—to said court, at the probate office, in the village of Grayling, in said courty, on or before the 5th day of October, A. D.

1917, and that said claims will be heard by said court on Monday the 5th day by said court on Monday the 5th day of October, A.D. 1917, at ten elclock in the forenoon.

Dated June 4th, A.D. 1917.

OSCAR PALMER, Judge of Probate

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1917

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Best in the Long Run

Men's elk skins at \$2.29 and \$2.48, tan and black, actually worth \$3.00 and \$3.25, under prices of today. When it comes to that work stuff here's where you get it at principles of electricity, and of hot prices that cannot very well be duplicated. Tennis shoes—I have them in all kinds and all prices that were bought 20 per cent forges while others are so minute and below regular price. Men's rubber boots at \$2.98, bright fin-"And when all this is assembled to ish. Also the red at \$3.95. gether, it is mounted on wheels, and given over to people from every walk Thigh fishing boots at \$4.85. Also hip boots in B. F. Goodrich line at \$7.00. of life, to use with care or speed at sixty miles an hour." "It's the brains of the automobile engineers, and the skill of the motor Clothing! Clothing!! car mechanics, and the science and carciness of the army of inspectors that have made the automobile the dependable vehicle it is. In the Oldsmobile-factory, for instance, a corps of inspectors equipped with every appliance, carefully handles all materials received. Get my prices as the stock is getting broken in sizes already. Then it has been made up into vari-Get the Habit and go to the Lemon Colored Store on

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Your Druggist

purchasing automobile insurance.

Mrs. Edward Phelps of Detroit was

Mrs. C. F. LaRue of Caro, Michael

of her mother. Mrs. Ambrose Cross.

Miss Norma Screnson of Manistee

visited Mrs. Arnold Lauridson last

home of Perry Ostrander, Saturday,

There will be a dance at the Temple

theatre next Friday evening, Danc-

home the latter part of the week.

the Blessed sacrament was given.

Miss Helen Winslow, daughter of

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Winslow, former

daughter will remain for a longer vis-

Rev. John J. Riess, pastoric

vice to their country under the stars

and stripes. It was a happy day in

he Rood family and the proud par-

May they live long and prosper and

be a credit to the flag under which

The accident industrial appeal case

will hold a picnic at the farm

Johannesburg to her home.

June 23, with basket lunch.

of last week.

ulations.

daughter, who

****** Local News

GRAYLING, THURSDAY, JUNE 7

Miss Nellie Charlefour was in Wolrerine last Thursday.

Miss Maude Frary of Gaylord is visiting her auut, Mrs. Grant-Shaw here for a week.

the splendid assortment at Hathaway's in rings and strands Mrs. George Thompson and chil-

June is the month of pearls. See

dren of Atlanta, are visiting her parents. Mr. and Mrs. Geo. A. Hodge. Mrs. John Burke of Frederic and infant daughter were brought to Mercy

hospital last Friday for treatment.

Mrs. David Montour and daughter, Bernadette, returned Monday from a few days visit with relatives in Stan-

Axel Jorgenson came home from Detroit last Saturday to spend the ing. The little lady weighed 91/4. summer with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Jorgenson.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Geigler of Beaverton and Mr. and Mrs. David Howe of Holly spent Sunday at the home of M. W. Nicolls at Portage lake.

Mrs. J. C. Foreman and daughter, Miss Marie returned last Saturday from a several week's visit with relatives and friends in Grand Rapids.

The Hospital aid will meet at the home of Mrs. Andrew Balhoff Wednesday afternoon, June 14. Mrs. Bal hoff and Mrs. Frank Tetu will enter-

Frank Krafft of Port Huron, a mem ber of Co. C., 33rd Mich. Infantry, Sunday and Monday visiting friends

Mrs. Fred Brown Sr., left Tuesday morning for New York to visit relat not a dull moment." tives and friends at her old home in a small suburb town. She expects to be gone about three months.

The I. O. O. F. will hold their memorial day Sunday, June 10. All 118. Miss Winslew graduated from 3:00 o'clock in the afternoon. Miss ed to meet at 1. O. O. F. hall at 1:00 the 8th grade Grayling school in 1911. Florence Parker the groom's sister, o'clock p. m. of that day.

Miss Ethel Madell, having finished her term of school at Munger, Mich., Mr. Ziebell will return to his duties as trip in the northern part of the state,

Mrs. Hans Petersen and Mrs. Earl it W. Dawson and children spent several. days of last week in Johannesburg visiting Mrs. Andrew Larson. Mr. Petersen and Mr. Dawson drove-up Sunday after their families returning in the afternoon of the same day.

Mrs. Scott Londer and youngest daughter Mary arrived Saturday from 5-31-2 Detroit and spent a few days visiting Mrs. Loader's father, John O. Goud row and other relatives. Mr. and Mrs Loader were former residents of Grayling and moved to Detroit about three years ago where Mr. Loader is proprieor of a barber shop.

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Going On Cash Basis. On and after June 15, 1917, this mar ket will go onto a strictly cash basis.

Miss Frida Olsen spent Sunday with

Guy Pringle visited at his home in Bay City last Sunday. N. P. Olson is building a fine new brick garage at his bome.

Buy a Liberty bond. Easy payment plan. Ask for particulars at the

of Frederic visited relatives here last Sunday. Herbert Trudeau apent the latter part of the week in Cheboygan and

Mrs. B. Peter Johnson and children

Oneway... "Business as usual is America's slo-gan," so buy a Liberty Bond and a

diamond too at Hathaway's. Mrs. C. K. Jones of Standish is visiting her sister. Miss Nora Nye at the

home of Hart Haire, this city. Harvey Burrows of Fliat is visiting his brother, Arnold here, and is assisting in the Game & Burrows market. Miss Flora Borchers of the H. Peter

sen grocery left Monday to enjoy a week's vacation with friends in Hart, Michigan. The St. Helens column of the Ros-

common Herald-News says Mr. and See Geo. L. Alexander & Son before Mrs. Ingram of Beaver Lake have moved to Grayling. The June bride will be pleased with A large fine new moose head, the he many suitable gifts to be found at

emblem of the Moose lodge now adorns the walls of the local lodge rooms. It was purchased recently in Nebraska. guest of Mrs. J. C. Burton, Sunday Floyd McClain and Leo Schram left for Bay City Saturday. The former will remain in Bay City for some time. was called here last week by the death Mr. Schram returned home the next

Miss Laudra Neilsen of Flint spent Sunday at the home of her sister, Mrs. Will J. Heric. Miss Laudra came Monday and Tuesday, enroute from to attend the Benior banquet last Fri-The Pomona Grange of Roscommon day evening county, and the Crawford County

Mrs Mary Vallad of Pinconning who has been caring for her daughter, at Frederic, is visiting her daughter Mrs. Joseph Morency and other relatives here for a week or more.

Fred Hunter of this city, salesman ing will begin at 9:00 and Clark's orfor the National Biscuit company in chestra will furnish the music. Ev-Northern Michigan, says that his eryone is cordially invited. Bill 75c. Company has purchased a half mil-A daughter was born to Mr. and lion dollars' worth of Liberty Loan Mrs. T. P. Peterson early this morn- bonds.

George W. McCullough, Allen B. pounds. Just at present the daddy is Falling, W. E. Russell and Oscar Sothe happiest man in town. Congrat- derquist, members of the local lodge Cameron Game left Tuesday for tend the State convention of the Moose Marion, Mich., to visit his wife and lodge at Flint.

J. W. Johnson. Sigward Melmo and several weeks with relatives and Auf Hanson, who have been working friends. The family expect to return with the construction forces at the DuPont for the past year, left Tues- Misses Flora Malco and Cella Cafta-High mass was celebrated at St. day to work in a similar capacity han of Frederic were in Grayling Mary's church Tuesday morning at for the same firm at Washburn, Wis. Monday.

seven o'clock, to open Registration Mr. and Mrs. Archie McNeven, for Don't forget that Hathaway's stock day with the right spirit. Immediatemer old residents of Grayling now is complete with suitable gifts for the ly after the mass, the Benediction of making Flint their home, are here to graduate. spend the summer—among—their—sons Circus is coming to this town Mon-They are also calling on many of day, June 18. LaTena Circus and their old friends and having a pleas. and Saturday. new stationed at Fort Wayno, spent Wild West. See their ad on the last ant visit. Mrs. McNeyen, who is page. The Daily Journal of Biddeford. Maine, says "From the opening quite elderly, is busying herself during her stay here knitting wristlets to parade to the final number there was be sent to the soldiers. This indeed shows patriotism.

Miss Gladys Dekette and Mr. Cecil Parker were united in marriage at the residents of Grayling, graduated May 29th from the Ellensburg, Washington ncon. Rev. Asron Mitchell tled the State Normal school, one of a class of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Ziebell and and Mr. Joseph Foster of West Branch daughter, Helen left yesterday on a attended the young couple. They visit to Harbor Beach and Port Hope. left Monday morning on a honeymoon her term of school at Munger, Allow Mr. Ziebell will return to me duties as trip in the northern part of bu Pout avenue, with ton Tennant of Du Pout avenue, with week's vacation, but Mrs. Ziebell and Parker has been employed at the Model bakery for the past two years.

> Commencing with next Sunday, tween Carl Kellogg and Robert Marune 3, 1917, the Sunday services in St. Mary's Catholic church in this city damaged, we also stated that Mr. Kelwill be held at 7:00 and 9:00 a. m. in-stead of at 8:00 and 10:15 a. m. This stead of Carl Kellogg it was Carl Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rood of the Kuchi who had the accident with Mr. Wal of triplets in their home Tues- tion in justice to Mr. Kellogg. It may day morning. Hardly had the little be of interest to know that Mr. Kuehl, visitors seen the light of day before mentioned above, is now located in the factory whistles and church bells Buffalo and is doing service in a fed eralded forth the announcement that cral aviation corps. If he is as daring Registration day was here and the and nervy a flyer as he appears to be a young men of conscription age were car driver he should become a topready to register their names for ser- notcher.

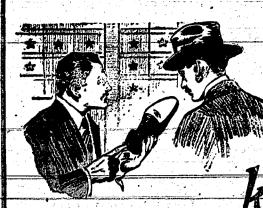
> Contractor George Lather of Traverse City was awarded last week ents vouch for the fealty of the two Hanson State military reservation a Thursday, the contract to build at the little soldiers and Red Cross purse. \$25,000 hospital, a \$10,000 administration building and a 40x130 foot warehouse. The hospital is to be built of brick and will be two stories 32x136 ft.; the administration building will be between the DuPont company and built of wood and veneered with stuc-Andrew Mazor of this city has been co. This will be 35x66 feet. The eversed by the State Accident In- warehouse will be of brick. Mr. Lathdustrial board in favor of Mr. Mazor. er already has his crew at work on the The Company was represented by construction of a \$25,000 club house. Geo. L. Alexander and the case was This latter will be size 40x120 feet with decided in their favor in the lower a twelve foot porch entire length of court. Gleu Smith represented Ma- the front and two sides. It will be arzor. General Manager C. T. Clark of ranged for a modern club and have a the DuPont company has announced ball room 40x60 feet, besides parlors, that the case would be appealed to the rest rooms, billiard room and other Supreme court. There is no doubt features. It seems that since Mr. but that the DuPont company feel Lather built us our school house anythat the decision of the Industrial thing in the building line, in and about Board is an injustice to them. There Grayling, the people just simply can't s probably no more liberal Corpora- get along without him. He has more tion in America with their employees than delivered the goods in every than the DuPonts. They pay the best building he has constructed. Among

of wages, look after the welfare of the latter besides the school house

their employees and pay them liberal are Shoppenagon's Inn, a double store

bonuses. Men once in their employ building for Victor Salling and the

eldom ever leave to seek employment new T. Hanson and Dr. Keyport real



Some facts you should know-about shoes

There has been a great change in the manufacture of footwear the last two seasons. Leather has been high and scarce and more and more shoes are being made with substitutes for leather in the heels, counters and insoles.

Nowadays, when you buy shoes only from "outside appearance" you're apt to be disappointed in their wear quite frequently. The right way to buy them is by their reputation.

That's why we are so enthusiastic about "Star Brand" shoes. They are made as shoes should be—all good leather from heel to toe—no "paper" or any other substitute for leather in any part of them. They are made for men, women, boys and girls—a shoe for every member of the family—all grades, styles and prices—dress, medium weight and work shoes.

You'll be sure to like "Star Brand" all-leather shoes, not only for their splendid wearing quality, but also for their style, fit and comfort.

Come to our store and let us fit you with what we believe to be the world's best shoes

GRAYLING MERCANTILE CO

"The Quality Store"

"Star Brand Shoes Are Better"

They Cost less per Month.



Mrs. Lucile Baker of Bay City was in Grayling on business last Friday

Frank Michelson and family of Detroit, arrived here Monday and are at their summer cottage at Portage lake.

There will be no services at the Danish-Lutheran church next Sunday on account of the absence of Rev. Kjøl-

Expressman Guy Pringle has been ordered to Macinaw Island and will leave at once. He will be succeeded by Merrill Jereau of Bay City, Mr. Pringle expects to return to Grayling

The local order of the Ladies' Benefit association held a pleasant meeting Tuesday evening. Mrs. Emma Salt was present from Port Huron, and four new applications were voted on. Miss Eulah Maxwell was chosen press correspondent.

"Seven Deadly Sins," a new short serial is running at the Opera house every Monday evening. "Envy" was change will hold good for the summer Reuben S. Babbitt. Since our last Last Monday evening the second inpublication we have learned that in- stallment was "Pride." This is a very popular serial and is drawing large crowds each Monday evening. South side, are happy over the ar- Babbitt's car. We make this correc. It features some of the very best noted movie actors and actresses. Next Monday evening will be "Greed," featuring Nance O'Neil

Miss Vera Shier has been visiting her sister, Miss Ula Shier the pas several days enroute from Yusilanti

Mrs. Karen Fischer, and daughter, Mrs. Albert Hake and her little daughter, Melita of Dickinson, North Dakota, arrived here last briday to visit relatives and friends during the summer months. They are guests at the home of Mrs. Fischer's sister-in-law. Mrs. Edward Sorenson

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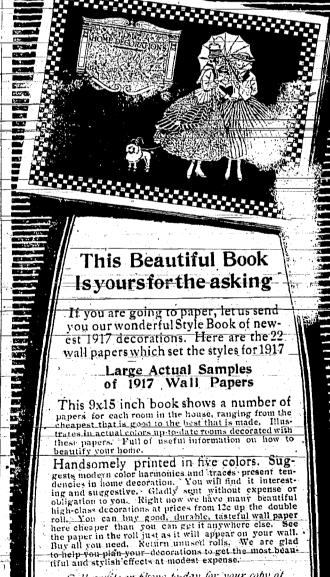
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leaves with chicken or

Strawberry Gateau.

Make a round sponge

cake and when cold

scoop out the inside and

cover with a pink icing,

then fill the center with whipped cream and

strawberries that have

been cut up and sugared

to taste. Pile high and garnish with

small ripe berries. Make a handle of

sugar needed. Dissolve the acid in

Let stand twenty-four hours, then

ing hot, bottle and seal. This sirup

Cherry Mousse.—Cook together a

may be used for fruit drinks, pud

yolks of two eggs and cook over water

gelatin with a half cupful of cherry juice, add it to the yolks, with one-

whites of the eggs beaten stiff and a

cherries, three bananas, one-half cup-

Almond Sauce,-Stone and chop six

olives, add half a cupful of blanched and shredded almonds and half a cup-

ful of-celery-cut-fine. Serve on lettuce

When serving a cold drink, to make

the glass more attractive roll it in hot

To be honest, to be fearless, to be

just, joyous, kind, To get up immediately when we stumble, face again to

ing even a moment in regret.—R. W. Trine.

GOOD THINGS FOR THE TABLE.

The following dish is a good one

be served at slight

the chicken until

ervtenderin

plenty of water, which will be used

in making the

gravy.

move the meat from the bones and

cut it into bits-with-the-scissors.-Put-

the skin and giblets, omitting the liver.

gravy over it. Serve with a generous

One "chicken-cooked and

portion of well-cooked rice or mashed

served in this manner will serve 13

Boiled Russian Dressing.-Take tv

thirds of a cupful of any kind of boiled salad dressing, four tablespoon-

fuls of strained chili-sauce, two table spoonfuls of diced pimentos, a half

tablespoonful of chives cut in half-inch

lengths, and a tablespoonful of tarra-

gon vinegar. Mix all the ingredients and chill well; then serve on lettuce.

butter in a baking dish, cover with

very carefully over the

curry powder well mixed.

Egg Dish.-Melt a tablespoonful of

notatoes:

people.

through the ment chopper and mix the

Hot Chicken

for a hot dish, as a large number may

water then fill with the iced drink.

the light and travel on with

leaves with mayonnaise.

six tablesmoonfuls of sugar.

of white currents and two tablespo

pistachio nuts.

sauces and sherbets.

ingelica and serve at once



ly practical ways in which women can the organization.

manifest their patriotism. They are A great work is to be done for the and at all spectacular—just plain, every american Red Cross. Its membership eryday, commonplace services—but must be brought up to the strength they leave no room for doubt as to the required by the war and that is a strength that morning the strength of dance of vegetables and fruits will be en, in case of shortage

dressing, and have them thoroughly washed. These materials muy be shipped to the National Surgical Dressings Committee, at 299 Fifth avenue, New York city. In old materials the blankets and sprends, sheets and pilcases, tablecloths and napkins, towels and underclothing. This committee is thoroughly organized for war relief and is engaged in making a vatowns have sub-committees who gather army. Hospitals, churches, so and forward donations to headquar-clubs and organizations of all on the continent and over \$,000,000 instruction are being formed every-

organize a sub-committee in communiple-who might be interested in formsub-committees. Volunteer work-make up old and new materials of their time to this work and every ing sub-committees. Volunteer workinto surgical aressings and a work is donated, so that the real spir- it.

There are some matter-of-fact, high- | it of service is maintained throughou

sincerity that prompts them. First of first business in hand. Individual memthese is the conservation of food for berships for one year, cost only one future use. It appears that an abundal dollar and two dollars will pay for a year's membership and subscription to grown this year and it is up to the the Red Cross magnzine, which is is housewives to see to it that much sued monthly. Nearly all communities greater quantities are canned, dried have a chapter or other representation and otherwise preserved, than in nor- of the Red Cross, but where there is none, anyone may send in an applicain any quarter, there will be a reserve tion for membership addressed to the to call on in other localities.

American Red Cross, Washington, D.

About the next most useful thing to C. We must look to the Red Cross to do is to gather up all old materials save the lives of wounded soldiers that can be used to make surgical and every American woman will want to help in this matter.

There are many activities in the work of the Red Cross that are in the hands of women. The making of hospital supplies, comfort kits and many other things for the soldiers will keep a big army of women busy for some This part of the work is done time. This part of the work is done under the supervision committee on hospital supplies and workers in each community must be trained in order riety of surgical dressings out of old to make and pack these supplies up and new materials. Many eities and to the standards required by the U. S. ters. Over 1,000 hospitals are served are assisting in this work. Classes for where. I upils in these classes are be Women who have the leisure, may ing taught how to make bandages, hospital garments and everything ties that have none. The national needed how to pack them in the right committee welcomes the names of peo- way, and fitted to teach others to do this work. Unemployed and especial-

as for devited crab, removing the of water, brown part. Mold in the form of cro- and a cupful of fruit juice, when thick quettes, add a little baking powder the bread crumbs used for dipping using a yolk of egg and as much cold coconut just before serving. water as egg. Dip the croquettes in gain and fry as usual in deep fat.

ones and trimming cooked with carrots, bay-leaf; leeks, parsley, a half lozen oysters and three potatoes, using a quart of the fish stock.

Gold is good in its place; but living, patriotic men are better than gold.

There seems to be no difference of opinion in regard to the value of properly sensoning food.



A plain dish, with an hand in seasoning, becomes somelightful, while all the rich foods in the world together with no as to combination or_of_proper_seasoningwill be "a mixture and a mess."

We must revive the old-fashioned herb garden of our grandmothers if chicken with enough stock to make the we are to realize the true zest of well- mixture moist; season well with salt preserved herbs. She realized that and pepper. Thicken the remaining her ments, soups, as well as cakes, stock with one and a half tablespoondoughnuts and crullers, lacked charm fuls of flour mixed with cold water, without the well-chosen herbs or spices, using this amount for every cupful of the did not know that when sh bit of parsley to garnish her platter When serving, allow two slices of of cold meat she was contributing to bread cut thin; place one slice on a the health of her family as well as hot plate, spread a spoonful of the their artistic sense. Parsley acts upon | chicken mixture over it and cover with the kidneys, assisting in the elimina- a second slice, then dip a ladle of tion_of_waste.

sonings that may be grown in the kitchen garden, and will prove a delight to see growing as well as to in winter to increase the palatability of various dishes, are the folowing: Parsley, mint, dill, tarragon, sage thyme marioram chervil horse radish, mustard, celery (celery tips dried), caraway seed, and mushrooms dried. To these we add curry, mace nutmer, cloves, mixed nickle spices

salads and as an addition to a-refreshing drink.

crumbs and pour over a half a can of mock turtle soup diluted with a third for pork roasts or poultry or ham. of a cupful of hot water. Break five Added to comment mush for frying or as a seasoning for string beans. Sprinkle with half a tenspoonful of Thyme and marjoram, with fowl, salt, an eighth of a teaspoonful of pepper, and a third of a tenspoonful of

squab or fish and in dressing for ments-and with boiled-beans,-

ments, green mustard sprinkled over minutes. lettuce or any salad, horseradish as Green Pes Omelet.-A few left-ave a relish for meat and a seasoning for green peas may be stirred into an pickles as well as sauce for fish. Curry omelet just before putting to cook and adds zest to various ment dishes or served with rice or cabbage, cauliflow- the platter.

Dill, fresh, in egg or plain salads, cream soups or boiled fish.

levie Maxwell

served with a circle of them around

Not in Accord. "I sent you a thought wave just

"I don't know," answered the prac-tical young man. "I felt something ucal young man. "I felt something ma'am, 'cause there's work blowing on the back of my neck, but I head fo' three girls, ma'am, supposed it was a draught."

Rather Noisy. -Well, not exactly that, per A Misunderstanding.

Lady of the House (discharging the now," said the temperamental young cook as easily as possible)—I shall man. "Did you receive it?" have to get another servant, Martha. The Cook-Dat won't be too many

"Willie, you musn't fight any of the

boys in your class."
"Well, if you think I'm going out of my class and go up against some haps, but her skirts made a lot of noise. 110-pound guy you're mistaken."

THE RELIGIOUS ELEMENT The Boy Scouts of America main-

cain that no boy can grow into the best kind of citizenchip without recoglizing his obligation to God, according to the constitution and by-laws recenty adopted by the incorporators. In the irst part of the boy scout's oath or pledge the constitution states, the boy romises, "On my honor I will do my promises, "On my honor I will do my hest to do my duty to God and my country, and to obey the scout law." The regognition of God as the ruling and leading power in the universe, and the grateful acknowledgment of his favors and blessings, is necessary to the best type of citizenship, and is a wholesome thing in the education of the growing boy. No matter what the boy may be—Catholic or Protestant or Jew—this fundamental need of good citizenship should be kept before him recognizes the religious element in the raining of a boy, but it is absolutely non-sectarian in its attitude toward that religious training. Its policy is that the organization or institution with which the boy scout is connected shall give definite attention to his religions life

BLACKBERRIES



One of the Joys of camp life among the scouts.

NOT TO DO WORK OF MEN.

The Boy Scout movement does not put the idea of killing in the mind of Boy Scouts: it does not put instru ts of death into their hands.

Uncle Sam does not want boy soldiers. Military work is a man's work. There is no reason why the nation should ask its boys to become soldiers They are needed for boys' work.

Col. Theodore Roosevelt, Maj. Gen. Leonard A. Wood, the secretary of war; the secretary of the navy, the chief of staff of the United States army—these nien, seriously concerned with the proper preparations of our boys for their full duty as citizens, are officers

of the Boy Scouts of America. The boys' work in the Boy Scouts of America does not include strictly military drill. The Scout movement has found a better way to train and use boys in our country's service it times like these. The eminent mili-tary men named above, the president of the United States, governors, educators, pastors, business and professional men know, and have said, that the Scout movement provides more beneficial training for boys of Scout tnan any

SCOUTS KNOW HOW.

out does not run away or cal for help when an acoldent occurs. If n person is cut he knows how to stop the flow of blood and gently and care fully bind up the wound. If a person is burned his knowledge tells him how to alleviate the suffering. If anyone is dragged from the water unconscious a scout at once sets to work to restore respiration and circulation. He knows that not a minute can be lost.

STATE ASKS SCOUTS' AID.

For the first time in the history of the state. Ohio has called upon the Boy Scouts for help to battle a plague, The plague is the tussock moth, a pest that was destroying the trees of Canton. President McKinley's home town.

TIPS FOR SCOUTS.

Offer your services as a leader to any organization in advancing this project. You can be of especial help. to your tencher by undertaking to care for school nd home gardens during your school vacation. Be a leader. Learn to save your crop by home canning and drying, before the harvesting season begins.

If you can raise poultry, do so. Se-cure garbage food from neighbors and feed them at small cost to yourself. Eliminate waste.

The Last Word. "I suppose your wife always has the last word in the argument." "I dunno," replied Mr. Meekton, gloomily. "We haven't yet got near enough to the end of it to figure on the last word."

last word." Heartless Fraud.

"That rich old man that Maud man ried was a regular cheat." "Why, wasn't he as rich as he sai

CLOCK AND WATCH.

"It's too absurd," said the clock. "What is too absurd?" asked the watch which had been put on the stand beside the clock. "You are forever making those funny speeches which mean absolutely nothing." "They mean something to me," said

the clock.
"Perhaps, perhaps," said the watch. "But that is a very selfish way of looking at things. . Just suppose, for a moment, everyone only thought of what interested themselves and only talked of something they understood and no one else—what a very confusing world it would be. I do believe I'd get rat-tled and lose time or else gain time to try to catch up to everything that was being said. In fact—that—is my trouble anyway. I am aiways trying to catch up. I have to."

"Now, there!" said the clock. "Who is confusing now? I am sure I don't know why you complain about the fact that I said something you fidn't understand. For you've said something I don't understand!"

"That's fair enough," said the watch.
"Fair enough," said the clock, "I'll admit, but dull.

"Nonsense!" said the watch, ticking very loudly in its excitement. "You-



B7 CAMP

He Runs Around All Day.

have to keep good time or you wouldn't be left alone. You'd be sent to the clock mender's shop and you'd be tinkered with and pulled to pieces, and an old man with a strange-looking black eye-glass would peer at you and say to your master:
"'The clock's main spring is broken,

it will cost a great deal of money to have it fixed.

"And then your master will look at you and wonder if you are worth mending. And you'll be in fear and trembling that your master will think you are not worth it-which would

make you much ashamed." "Now, dear little watch," said the clock in a patronizing tone, "that may have-been-your-experience, but it has never been mine. Goodness only knows how many times you have been to the watch mender's shop. But I have never been to one. And I do go my own sweet way. Of course I do my work—that is to keep time. It's just as easy to be on time as to be late. Just as easy. All one has to do is to keep up with the hours and not waste moments. Wasting those moments is such a bad business. They're mean little things—moments—and mighty apt to creep up into half hours and even hours! But as we're really having such a nice sociable time I'll

tell you what I meant when I said 'It's too absurd,' but you must tell me what you meant when you said, 'I am always trying to catch up.' I mount that is was so absurd to bear people saying that someone has a face that would stop a clock. What they mean is that someone's face is very queer or very ugly. In the first place I wouldn't stop for any face! for my own. If my hands got twisted I'd stop—but for a real face, no, indeed! It's utterly absurd. And whoever started such nonsensical talk should never have the honor of owning either a clock or a watch. Also it is very rude and unkind. No one L talk about anyone's face in such a fashion. All the time they are talking, other people may not like their faces! All faces are differentand are liked for different things

lovely eyes or wonderful smiles."

"True," said the watch. "It's both an absurd thing to say and very, very unkind. Now when I said that I had to hurry and catch up—or rather try to catch up—I meant that my master has a foolish way of trying to hurry me up at the last moment. He waits and fusses and wastes his time, and then he wonders how he can reach somewhere on time—reaching there almost before he starts if he wants to be on time. Then I hurry and try to catch up to him as he seems in such a rush. And the trouble is I'm way ahead of the time he wants me to be. I try to keep up with his hurrying-for after he has wasted a great deal of time he does try to hurry. In fact he runs around all day trying to catch up with himself, and I run around with him. But I've learned enough now to vary. It's of no use. He tried put-ting me ahead of time one-day but it was senseless when I disagreed with every other watch, and everyone said to my master, Your watch is fast. We watches must agree, you know, and so I just get nervous trying to catch up with the lost moments for my master, and the only thing, I find, for him-to-do is to expect less of me and my mistakes but to start off everything ON TIME!"

He Meant Well.

"Mary, are you very poor?" asked Tommy.

Mary, who had been brought to the dancing class in her mother's limou-sine, answered: "I don't think so. I'll ask papa."

"Mother said you did not look like you had enough to eat," said Tommie, and if it's because you are poor, I'll save you something every day.

Cause Happy Thoughts #Tt requires only one kind act to cause happy thoughts to flow."

FOUR WEEKS

No Relief-Mrs. Brown Fine ally Cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.



almost faint. One day I did faint and my husband was sent for and the doc-tor came. I was ta-

and stayed four weeks but when I came home I would faint just the same and had the same paint.

A friend out. A friend who is a nurse asked me to A friend who is a nurse asked me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I began taking it that very day for I was suffering a great deal. It has already done me more good than the hospital. To anyone who is suffering as I was my advice is to stop in the first drug-store and get a bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound before you go home."—Mrs. W. C. Brown, 2844 W. 12th St., Cleveland, Ohio.

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A New Measure for Distance. Some mud-bespattered autoists were attempting to reach Nashville, Brown county. Even with chains on their wheels, they were wasting lots of gaso-line-in investigating a washout-or-a valley-which-they had-left triumphant-

Three times in three hours they had isked the distance and each time had received the same answer.

"'Bout three miles to Nashville." It is true that in those three hours they had had one bloyout and once

pull them out of the mud. But even so, it seemed as if they could not be more than a half mile away. Finally they met a man on horseback. "How far to Nashville? Three miles, I suppose!" But the fine surcusm was

not lost on him. He grinned and said n soft voice: "You're 'most there. It's jest two hoops and a hollar away."-Indianapo-

LIFT YOUR CORNS OFF WITH FINGERS

How to loosen a tender corn or callus so it lifts out without pain.

Let folks step on your feet hereafter wear shoes a size smaller if you like, for corns will never again send electric sparks of pain through you, according

to this Cincinnati authority. He says that a few drops of a drug called freezone, applied directly upon a tender, aching corn, instantly re-lleves screness, and soon the entire

corn, root and all, lifts right out. This drug dries at once and simply shrivels up the corn or callus without" even irritating the surrounding skin.

A small bottle of freezone obtained at any drug store will cost very little but will positively remove every hard or soft corn or callus from one's feet. If your druggist hasn't stocked this new drug yet, tell him to get a small freezone for you from his wholesale drug house .- adv.

Just Reversed. Doctor—Did he take the medicine I prescribed for him religiously? Nurse-No, sir; he swore every

About the Thing. "What does a press censor do, pop?"
"Oh, he just incenses everybody."— Baltimore American.

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NEAT HOUSE DRESSES OF HEAVY COTTONS

Some women contrive to do their casional exceptions, when coarse unown housework in neat housedresses bleached linen is used. These exceptions that bespeak them the mistresses of tions are destined to become more their occupation. They never look rare and cotton fabrics are the best driven and overwhelmed by work, or for them. The heavy ginghams, galatea as if they were left with no time to consider the matter of, personal appearance. They look capable—as they are-of meeting the obligations of life,

are—of meeting the obligations of life, that are of all, most important, and their—housedresses tell—their—wholesome story.

The house dress, like the tailored suit, is here—was here and is always going to be here, like bread and butter. Its business is to be strong convenient, plain and shapely and to stand wear and tear with little change of sweet. It must be mut to the rest, side with bone buttons. This allows of aspect. It must be put to the test of the washtub and emerge therefrom it to be spread flat for ironing and fresh and whole. Because it is plain is no reason why it should be unattrac-

The house dress of today is made of strong, cotton fabrics with very oc-

From Checked Towsling.

inches long is cut so as to slip on over the head. It ends at the waistline Crochet Stitch Border on Gray Chiffo in the back where it is gathered into a bead the ends of which fasten

I blue and red and a pocket is also or Diverted from its purpose, taken namented with embroidery. The cap from the duty of drying fragile china is cut large enough to envelop all the and crystal-clear gluss, red and white hair. The only attempt at ornamen-check toweling makes charming tation is on the turnover flap in front aprons and caps for kitchen wear. A where the same design that is on the straight piece of toweling about 58 apron'is carried out.

adds to its trim finish.

Navy and gray chiffon are combined in a tuniced frock bordered in a wide and to the front. Buttonholing in crochet stitch, the tunic four paneled es the neck and the lower of gray in uneven lengths is held by A simple design is worked in heavy gray cord.

strong weaves repay best the work of

side with bone buttons. This allows

Bottombe

WAYS OF SERVING FRUITS SHELLFISH DISHES. Toss some ripe even sized strawber When the oyster season closes clams ries in French dressing to marinate.

Serve them on lettuce

crabs and shrimps have their season In-many-parts-of variety is not to be

may be obtained fresh from the water, but the canned desnised. Plain boiled

crab eaten right from the shell with a bowl of melted butter to dip them into, must once be enten to prove it is one of the choicest of dishes. Crab Salad. The crab meat is care fully removed from the shell after be-Strawberry Sirup.—Take six pounds of strawberries, two pints of water, two ounces of tartaric acid and the

ing cooked in boiling salted water, mixed with salad dressing and served on lettuce or a bed of water cress. Deviled Crab .- To the meat from dozen crabs add a tablespoonful of the water and pour over the fruit oread crumbs, one tablespoonful of Let stand twenty-four hours, then melted butter, one hard cooked egg, strain off the juice without crushing chopped fine, a dash of pepper, two the fruit. All or three cupfuls of sugar tablespoonfuls of salad dressing and to every pint of juice and when boilonion or catchup to suit the taste. Put

this mixture into the cleaned shells, sprinkle with buttered crumbs and bake until the crumbs are brown.

Clam Chowder.—Fry four slices of salt pork, cut in fine dice, until brown; then add two tablespoonfuls of flour, and one large onion chopped fine. When the onion is light yellow add a cupful or two of diced raw potato and a pint of boiling water and when they are nearly tender drop in a quart of clams that have been chopped or ground, season with salt and pepper

add a pint of hot milk and serve piping hot with crackers.

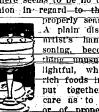
Crab Stew.—Melt a tablespoonful of butter, add two of flour and cook until well blended. Add a beaten egg with a pint of milk, a pinch of soda and the meat of half a dozen crabs, salt pepper and celery salt to taste. Serve with hot hominy. Shrimps carefully ful of red currants, one-half cupful cleaned are served with celery on a

ned of lettuce with salad dressing. Crab Croquettes .- Prepare the crabs dressing, cook together a half cupful

Fish Soup .- This is made of the fish

Happiness depends quite as much on what we don't do as upon what we

GOOD SEASONING.



Some of the most inexpensive sen-

Mint is used with lamb in different

Sage as a seasoning in stuffings

Chervil as a garnish for salads and bits of butter and bake from 12 to 15

Parker-And you say that she was oudly dressed?

'cause there's work enough

he was?" "Yes; but he wasn't as old as he

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FOURTH INSTALLMENT.

in the Mediterranean. But this I be-lieve to be a lie; or rather, it is a sank Burr, asking him how he liked to be "without a country." But it is clear, from Burr's life, that nothing and had not left his stateroom—a of the sort could have happened; and thing I never remember to the sort could have happened; and thing I never remember to the sort could have happened; and thing I never remember to the sort could have happened; and thing I never remember to the sort could have happened; and thing I never remember to the sort could have happened; and thing I never remember to the sort could have happened; and thing I never remember to the sort could have happened; and thing I never remember to the sort could have happened; and the sort could have happen I mention this only as an illustration of the stories which get a-going where

there is the least mystery at bottom. So Philip Nolan had his wish ful-lled. Poor fellow, he repented of his folly, and then, like a man, submitted to the fate he had asked for. He never intentionally added to the difficulty or delicacy of the charge of those wife had him in hold. Accidents would happen; but they never happened from his fault. Lieutenant Truxton told me that when Texas was annexed, there was a careful discussion among the whether they should get hold of Nolan's handsome set-of maps, and cut Texas out of it, from the map of the world and the man of Mexico. when the atlas was bought for him. But it was voted rightly enough, that to do this would be virtually to reveal to him what had happened, or, as Harry Cole said, to make him think Old Burr had succeeded. So it was from no fault of Nolan's that a great hotch happened at my own table, when for a short time, I was in command of the George Washington corvette, on the South American station. We were lying in the La Plata, and some of the officers, who had been on shore, and had just joined again, were entertaining us with accounts of their misadventures in riding the half-wild horses of Buenos Aires. Notan was at table, and was in an unusually bright and talkative mood. Some story of a tumble reminded him of an adventure of was catching wild Stop! stop! Do not spenk till I say horses in Texas with his brother Stephquite-a boy. He-told the story with

For he asked, perfectly unconsciously, "Pray, what has become of Texas? After the Mexicans got their independence. I thought that province of Texas would come forward very fast. It is really one of the finest regions on earth; it is the Italy of this continent. But I have not seen or heard a word of Texas for near twenty years. There were two Texan officers at the

table. The reason he had never heard of Texas was that Texas and her affairs had been painfully out of his newspapers since Austin began his settlements; so that, while he read of <u>Honduras and Tamaulipas, and, till</u> quite lately, of California, this virgin province, in which his brother had had ceased to be with him. Walters Williams, the two Texas men, looked grimly at each other, and tried not to laugh. Edward Morris had his attention attracted by the third link in the chain of the captain's chandelier. Watrous was seized with a convulsion of sneezing. Noinn himself saw that something was to nav. he did know what. And I, as master of the feast, had to say:

"Texas is out of the map, Mr. Nolan. Have you seen Captain Back's names are. There has never been one curious account of Sir Thomas Roe's taken away; I thank God for that. I breathed his life away with a smile. Welcome?

After that cruise I never saw No-lan again. I wrote to him at least twice a year, for in that voyage we like a wretched night's dream a boy's "We looked in his Bible, and there became even confidentially intimate; idea of personal fame or of separate was a slip of paper, at the place but he never wrote to me. The other sovereignty seems, when one looks where he had marked the text—

hack on it after such a life as mine! "They desire a country, even a hack on it after such a life as mine!" he aged very fast, as well he might But tell me_tell me something_tell heavenly; wherefore God is not indeed, but that he was still the same me everything Danforth, before I die! ashamed to be called their God; for gentle, uncomplaining, silent sufferer "Ingham, I swear to you that I felt that he ever was, bearing as best he like a monster that I had not told him could his self-appointed punishment, everything before. Danger or no danrather less social, perhaps, with new ger, delicacy or no delicacy, who was I men whom he did not know, but more that I should have been acting the anxious, apparently, than ever to serve and befriend and teach the boys, some sainted old man, who had years ago of whom fairly seemed to worship him. is dead. He has found a home at Nolan, said I I will tell you everything

last, and a country. Since writing this, and while con-sidering whether or no I would print warning to the young of today over his white face | and he pressed my of what it is to throw away a country. I have received from Danforth, who is on board the Levant, a letter which ed to the stars on the flag. The last gives an account of Nolan's last hours.

To understand the first words of the letter, the nonprofessional reader should remember that after 1817 the position of every officer who had Nolan in charge was one of the greatest delicacy. The government had failed to renew the order of 1807 regarding What was a man to do? Should he let him go? What, then, if he der as I could, and he bade me take were called to account by the depart-down his beautiful map and draw them ment for violating the order of 1807? in as I best could with my pencil. He Should be keep him? What, then, if was wild with delight about Texas, it's to Hibbim & Diggum canceling Nolan should be liberated some day, told me how his brother died there; an order for a dozen lead pencils and and should bring an action for false he had marked a gold cross where he imprisonment or kidnaping against even supposed his brother's grave was; and ery man who had had him in charge? he had guessed at Texas. Then he is urged and pressed this upon South was delighted as he saw California ard, and I have reason to think that other officers did the same thing. But the secretary always said, as they so been-permitted to land on that shore, often do at Washington, that there though the ships were there so much were no special orders to give, and that we must act on our own judgment. That means, "If you succeed, you will be sustained; if you fail, you will be disavowed." Well, as Danforth says, all that is over now, though I do not know but I expose myself to a criminal prosecution on the evidence of the very revelation I am making. Here is the letter:

"Levant, 2° 2" S. @ 131° W. "Dear-Fred-I-try-to-find heart and me tell in an hour the history of fifty "How I wished it had been some body who knew something! But I

had let the doctor come and see him as

he lay there, the first time the doctor

low lay in his berth, smiling pleasant-

ly as he gave me his hand, but look-ing very frail. I could not help a

a little shrine he had made of the box

foot just clasping the whole globe,

dear old boy saw my glance, and said,

with a sad smile, 'Here, you see, I have a country!' And then he pointed to

States, as he had drawn it from mem

ory, and which he had there to look

names were on it, in large letters

Indiana Territory, Mississippi Ter-

our fathers learned such things: but

dary all the way to the Pacific, but on

"'Oh, Danforth,' he said, 'I know I

am dying. I cannot get home. Sure-ly you will tell me something now?

what I am sure you know, that there

in America—God bless her!-a more

"Teli Me Their Names," He Said.

do. There are thirty-four stars in

it now, Danforth. I thank God for that, though I do not know what their

tyrant all this time over this dear,

explated, in his whole manhood's life,

the madness of a boy's treason? 'Mr.

you ask about. Only, where shall I

"Oh, the blessed smile that crept

Kentucky. But I have guessed Michigan and Indiana and Mississippi—that

was where Fort Adams is—they make

twenty. But where are your other fourteen? You have not cut up any

"Well, that was not a bad text, and

I told him the names, in as good or-

down his beautiful map and draw them

and Oregon-that, he said, he had suspected partly, because he had never

'And the men,' said he, laughing, 'brought off a good deal besides furs.'

Then he went back—heavens, how far—to ask about the Chesapeake, and

what was done to Barron for surren-dering her to the Leopard, and wheth-

er Burr ever tried again, and he ground

his teeth with the only passion he

showed. But in a moment that was over, and he said, God forgive me,

of the old ones, I hope?'

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upon as he lay. Quaint, queer old

which his wings overshadowed.

round, which showed me what

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did as well as I could. I told him of the English war, I told him about Fulton and the steamboat beginning. told him about old Scott and Jackson told him all I could think about the Mississippi, and New Orleans; and Texas, and his own old Kentucky And do you know he asked who want in command of the 'Legion of the life to tell you that it is all over with deep old Nolon There here with the West? I told him it was a very gal-There is a story that Nolan met on board a party of Americans came on board and relationship of the party of Americans came on board described by the party of Americans came of the party of Americans came of the party of the part dear old fellow. I could see that he was not strong, but I had no idea that worked that out on the map; it

me the true story of his serving the gun the day we took the Java-asked about dear old David Porter, as he

called him. Then he settled down more quietly, and very happily, to hear

thing to condense the history of half had been in the stateroom, and he said he should like to see up. On dear him of the doyou remember the hysteries we boys used to invent about his room, in telegra a century into that talk with a sich man. And I do not know what I told him-of emigration, and the means of the old Intrepid days? Well, I went telegraphs—of inventions and books West Point and the Naval schoolbut with the queerest interruptions that ever you heard. You see it was Robinson Crusoe asking all the accumulated questions of fifty-six years

picture of Washington, and he had painted a majestic eagle, with light-nings blazing from his beat and the painted and provided the painted the he was quite a boy himself, at some Indian treaty. I said no, that Old Abe was a Kentuckian like himself, but had worked up from the ranks. 'Good the foot of his bed, where I had not for him " cried Nolan; I am glad of seen before a great map of the United that. As I have brooded and wondered. I have thought our danger was in keeping up those regular successions in the first families. Then got talking about my visit to Washington. I told him o meeting the Ore gon congressman, Harding; I told him about Smithsonian and the exploring expedition; I told him about the cap too; he had carried his western boun- tol- and the statues for the pediment -and Crawford's 'Liberty' and told him everything I could think of that would show the grandeur of his

country and its prosperity. "And he drank it in, and enjoyed it as I cannot tell you. He grew mor is not in this ship, that there is not and more silent, yet I never thought he was tired or faint. I gave him a a good deal of spirit—so much so, that loyal man than I. There cannot be a glass of water, but he just wet his lips, the silence which often follows a good story hung over the table for an instant, to be broken by Noian himself.

The silence was area and the was area or taunt. I gave him a loyal man than I. There cannot be a glass of water, but he just wet his lips, and the silence which go water had been so that the loyal man than I. There cannot be a glass of water, but he just wet his lips, and the silence which go water him a loyal man than I. There cannot be a glass of water, but he just wet him a loyal man than I. There cannot be a glass of water, but he just wet him a loyal man than I. There cannot be a glass of water, but he just wet him a loyal man than I. There cannot be a glass of water, but he just wet him a loyal man than I. There cannot be a glass of water, but he just wet him a loyal man than I. There cannot be a glass of water, but he just wet him a loyal man than I. There cannot be a glass of water, but he just wet his lips.

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The silver had be a glass of water, but he just wet his lips. there, and sald, with a smile, that it would open at the right place—and so it did. There was his double red mark down the page; I knelt down and read, and he repeated with me. For ourselves and our country, O graclous God, we thank thee, that, notwithstanding our manifold transgressions of thy holy laws, thou hast continued to us thy marvelous kindness'—and so to the end of that thanksgiving. Then he turned to the end of the same book, and I read the words more familiar to me: 'Most hearthy we beseech thee with thy favor to behold and bless thy servant, the president of the United States, and all others_in_authority'-and_the the Episcopal 'collect, 'Danforth, said he, 'I have repeated those prayers night and morning, it is now fifty-five go to sleep. He bent me down over him and kissed me; and he said. 'Look in my Bible, Danforth, when I

> "But I had no thought it was the end. I thought he was tired and would sleep. I knew he was happy, and I wanted him to be alone.

"But in an hour, when the doctor went in gently, he found Nolan -had know by that, that there has never He had something pressed close to

"Ingham, I swear to you that I felt he hath prepared for them a city."

"On this slip of paper he had writ-

ten:
"Bury me in the sen; it has been
"But will not that I should have been acting the my home, and I love it. But will not someone set up a stone for my memmy disgrace may not be more than I

ought to bear? Say on it: in Memory of PHILIP NOLAN Licutenant in the Army of

the United States.
"'He loved his country as no other hand and said, 'God bless you! Tell me their names,' he said, and he pointman has loved her; but no man served less at her hands." (THE END.)

> Mickle's Maneuver. "Henry, I've come to see your ne stenographer," said his wife,

"But, my dear, she will offend your sthetic sense!" protested Mickles. 'She's a sight. I told you she was a "I insist on seeing," replied Mrs. M.

"Very well, but wait till I finish dic-tating a letter. It's very important must get off." "I'll not wait a second."

"Just as you say, my dear. But your hat isn't on straight. There's a glass over there in the corner."
"O, dear, I'll just fix it. I'll be there

in a minute."

And she went over to the glass to straighten her hat, and in the half hour it took her to do it, Mickles had let his beautiful new stenographer out the window on an improvised rope ladder, and hauled up a frightfully home-ly one for whom he had telephoned to the employment bureau.-Detroit

In Japan the crater of an extinct for I am sure I forgive him. Then voicano in which there are many bot he asked about the old war-told springs is utilized as a sanatorium.

LEGUME CROPS NEED FERTILIZERS HELP POTATOES Improve Yield of Grop When Judi. HELP OF BACTERIA

Alfalfa, Clover, Peas and Vitch Must Be Inoculated to Insure Results.

STATE FURNISHES CULTURES

Federal Supply Runs Out, but Bacteriological Laboratory at East Lansing is Saving Day for Michigan.

East Lonsing, Mich.-Under pressure of the demand being made upon them for food and more food, Michigan farmers are expected this season to devote more ground than commonly to aifalfa and leguminous crops generally, but their success, in the case of alfalfa, at right kind of bacteria.

These bacteria, which are principally United States department of agricul-ture and the bacteriological department of the Michigan Agricultural college, but this spring the Michigan institution will be compelled to meet the demand alone, for notices sent out from Washington a few days ago announcethat the federal bacteriologists will not fill any more orders until July 1. The crop campaign, it is said, has practically cleaned them out of the nodule-

Still, the M. A. C. laboratory is expected to prove equal to the occasion, for while 2,000 or more cultures have already been sent to various parts of the state, there is reported to be a supply on hand adequate, at least, for Michigan's requirements.

Two Methods of Inoculation. Two methods of inoculation are employed. One of these consists in mixing the alfalfa or clover seed, as the case may be, with the bacterial culture. The other, known as the soil-inoculation method, consists in distributing when quick meat production is annual as essential as big meat production some field which has produced good grops of nodule-forming legumes.

. Where soil is used, 300 or 400 pounds of soil from the old alfalfa or clover field are put on each acre of the new field, either by running it through a



BACTERIA MAKE ALFALFA THRIVE.

The seed from which the plant or the left sprang up was inoculated. No the right.

grain drill, or by broadcasting it, after the land has been fitted. The inoculating material should be taken from the ton four or five inches of the old field: been removed. The best time to apply it to the new field is in the evening just before a rain, or during a rain, The inoculating, of course, should be done before the seed is sown.

When the purse cultures are employed, the procedure is as follows: 1. Do not open the bottle of culture until you are ready to treat the seed, and treat only as much seed as you can

2. Cover the seed with water and after standing from two to five minutes allow-all-moisture-to-drain-away. (It is convenient to place the seed in a grain sack and dip into a tub of fresh, clean water, then suspend the sack for

a few minutes.) 3. Spread the seed on a clean oilcloth table or floor in a clean, shady place.

4. Break up the culture by shaking or jarring the bottle against the hand, pour a little clean, cold water (from one to three tenspoonfuls) into the bottle of culture and mix the contents with the seed. It is recommended and thought best by many who are authorities in seed inoculation that about two ounces of granulated sugar he mixed throughout the mass of mois-tened seed before treating with the culture. The use of glue is condemned. 5. If the seed is too wet and sticky sample to the botany department of to plant, it may be spread out in the college for free examination. Shade. It should be neither wet nor An effective use of manure this dry, but as moist as it can be and yet seed evenly. Plant the seed just as

you would treat untreated seed. 6. A small strip should be planted with uninoculated seed for comparison and this should be seeded first.

of 48 Hours Adrift in

Open Boat

"U" RAID SURVIVORS ARRIVE MORE TREASURY NOTES OUT

Gunners From the Rockingham Tell Indebtedness to Be Taken Up by Banks.

Washington.-The treasury depart-New York,-The British steamship which picked up 14 men of the Amercan steamship Rockingham after that \$200,000,000 worth of treasury certifi-vessel was torpedoed and sunk off the cates of indebtedness. Treasury offtrish coast May 1 arrived here with tisls expect the issue to be subscribed them. Two men were killed. All the by the banks and trust companies of survivors have returned to er-

cloudly Applied.

East Lausing, Mich.-Fertilizers, applied judiciously, have been recom mended by potato specialists of the Michigan Agricultural college as helpful "first aids" in improving the potato crop—though the warning is added hat they are advocated to supplement stable manure, and not to take the place of it.

"Under war conditions," it is ex-plained, "potash is too expensive to warrant its general use for potatoes. Nitrogen also is high in price, and should be used only sparingly and judgment, but when a clover or alfalfa sod is plowed under the percentage of nitrogen need not be very great. A fertilizer containing from 2 to 4 per cent of nitrogen and from 8 to 12 per cent of phosphoric acid is desirable for the potato crop under present condi tions

"When a clover or alfalfa sod is plowed under, from 250 to 500 pounds of acid phosphate per acre will do, but least, will be good or otherwise only it sod, 200 or 250 pounds of fertilizer conthe seed or soil is inoculated with the taining 2 per cent of nitrogen and from 8 to 10 per cent of phosphoric acid may furnished to the farmer in the form of cultures, are secured usually from the with profit in larger quantities on heavier soils than on light ones.

"The results from the use of commercial fertilizers depend to a cor erable extent upon the method of application. Very little benefit will result from the scattering of the fertilizer on the surface of the ground un less it is worked into the moist soil. ment is a good tool for accomplishing

"If the potatoes are planted with a horse-planter which has a fertilizer at-tachment, 200 to 250 pounds of fer-tilizer may be applied in the furrow and the remainder broadcast.

POULTRY QUICK MEAT SOURCE

Cockerels Can Be Marketed When Four Weeks Old.

East Lansing, Mich.-In these days when quick meat production is almost poultry offers a quick method of meet mmendations the poultry department of the Michigan Agricultural college has added the suggestion that persons with a back yard which isn't being put to some useful purpose can profitably raise a few hens.

"Pullets," say the poultrymen, be brought into laying condition in four months' time. Cockerels can be marketed when four weeks old-added to which there is the fact that there is no other animal on the farm capable of converting waste material into so delicious meat in such a short period.

"If every family living on the outskirts of our larger cities, or in the smaller villages, was to keep a halfdozen hens, the family food cost would be appreciably lowered through the production of eggs. Droppings from the table, instead of passing through the garbage can, would be transformed by hens into an article of food of highest merit-accomplishing at one campaign to conserve food, as well as to_increase_production. "A well-bred hen will produce an av-

erage of ten dozen eggs a year, and for the small flock, which derives its maintenance from the home tables, a gain of \$2 a head would be realized. Ten hens will-keep an average fam

lly in eggs for a year, and perhaps produce a few extra ones for sale. A hen needs but a square rod of space, and a backvard three rods by four rods will keep ten hens, and a plane box supplies all the required shelter. Lawn clippings will do for green food."

Precautions Must Be Taken to Guard Against Disease Losses of Other Years.

East Lansing, Mich.-Recalling the disastrous losses which the bean dis-eases, anthracnose and blight, have caused in the past, Michigan Agricultural college bean men, are advocating planting of only strictly clean seed, if the Michigan farmer is going to do as effective work in the furrows this summer as the soldiers in the trenches. Trimmed to the "bone," their recom-

mendations are the following: Plant the best beans obtainable, and e home-grown seed, rather than seed from outside of the state. California

beans, for instance, will not mature in Michigan. If your own seed is to be used, see first that it is carefully hand-picked and all blighted and frosted beans

taken out. Only clean seed will produce a clean crop. Do_not_plant_immature_or_frosted beans. They will neither germinate well nor bring forth vigorous plants.

Do not cultivate the beans while wet with rain or dew. To do so will spread the blight.

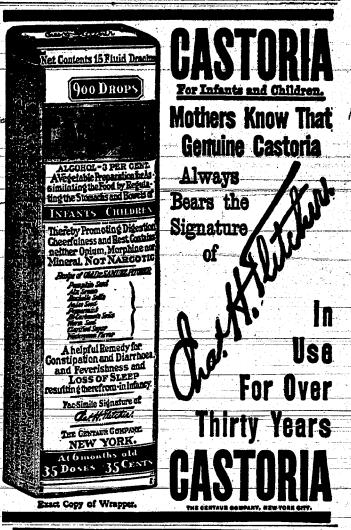
Those in doubt as to the cleanliness of their seed are invited to send a

An effective use of manure this year is on fields intended for beans or late

potatoes. The application of either acid phosphate or soluble bone meal at the rate of from 200 to 300 pounds per acre is

\$200,000,000 Worth of Certificates o

ment announced a third offering of the nation within the next two or three



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When your liver is out of order, your head, stomach, bile and bowels suffer with it. That is why a bilious

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Short With the Bores. Dr. Charles W. Ellot, who recently celebrated his eighty-third birthday in We try too much to beat too much. Cambridge, has always had a shortway with bores.

Doctor Eliot and talked straight ahead

for ten minutes about classical literature, the best hundred books, ten-foot shelves, and so forth. "I tell you," Doctor Eliot interrupted much. warmly-"I tell you, man, there are no

mussels to compare with the abilons mussels you get in 'Frisco." "No doubt," said the bore, "but what

has that got to do with what I was talking about?" Doctor Ellot yawned.

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There's no longer the slightest need of feeling ashamed of your freekies, as the prescription othine—double strength—is guaranteed to remove these honely spots.

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Simply seem no longer to the lighter of the longer to the lighter ones have vanished entirely. It is selden that more than one cunce's needed to completely clear the skin and gain a beautiful clear complexion.

Be sure to ask for the double strength of thine, as this is sold under guarantee of monay back if it fails to remove freekies.—

Adv.

"Three moves are as bad as a fire."
"And one visit of the paperhangers

We growl too much. We scowl too much. We play the midnight owl too In a hotel one day a hore tackled much.

We ape too much. We gape too much, and dally with red tape too much. We treat too much, and cheat too much, and fear to face defeat too

We buy too much. We lie too much, and snivel and deny too much. We save too much, and shave too much, with one foot in the grave too much. We sit too much. We spit too much

wear shoes too tight to fit too much We mess too much and dress too "What were you talking about?" he much; in sixteen suits or less too

We spite too much. We fight too much and seek the great white light too much. We read too much. We speed too much, hit dope and use the We prink too much. I think we even

"Pa, what is a silent partner?"
"Most any married man, son, when his wife's around," moaned pop.

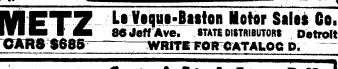
Canada's Liberal Offer of **Wheat Land to Settlers** is open to you—to every farmer or farmer's son who is anxious to establish for

who is anxious to establish for-himself a happy home and prosperity. Canada's hearty invitation this year is more attractive than ever. Wheat is much higher but her fertile farm land just as cheap, and in the provinces of Manitoba, Saskat-chewan and Alberta

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What Can We Do?



There are some matter-of-fact, highly practical ways in which women can manifest their patriotism. They are not at all spectacular-just plain, everyday, commonplace services-but they leave no room for doubt as to the sincerity that prompts them. First of these is the conservation of food for future use. It appears that an abundance of vegetables and fruits will be grown this year and it is up to the housewives to see to it that much greater quantities are canned, dried and otherwise preserved, than in normal times. Then, in case of shortage in any quarter, there will be a reserve call on in other localities.

About the next most useful thing to

do is to gather up all old materials that can be used to make surgical dressing, and have them thoroughly These materials may be shipped to the National Surgical Dress-Committee, at 299 Fifth avenue New York city. In old materials the committee asks for linen and cotton, blankets and spreads, sheets and pillow cases, tablecloths and napkins, towels and underclothing. This committee is thoroughly organized for war relief and is engaged in making a variety of surgical dressings out of old and new materials. Many cities and towns have sub-committees who gather dressings have been shipped to them. into surgical dressings and all other work is donated, so that the real spir: it.

it of service is maintained throughout

the organization.

A great work is to be done for the American Red Cross. Its membership must be brought up to the strength required by the war and that is the first business in hand. Individual memberships for one year, cost only one dollar and two dollars will pay for a year's membership and subscription to the Red Cross magazine, which is is-sued monthly. Nearly all communities of the Red Cross, but where there is one, anyone may send in an application for membership addressed to the American Red Cross, Washington, D. C. We must look to the Red Cross to save the lives of wounded soldiers and every American woman will want to help in this matter.

There are many activities in the work of the Red Cross that are in the hands of women. The making of hospital supplies, comfort kits and many other things for the soldiers will keep a big army of women busy for some time. This part of the work is done under the supervision committee on to make and pack these supplies up-to the standards required by the U.S. army. Hospitals, churches, schools. ters. Over 1,000 hospitals are served are assisting in this work. Classes for the continent and over 8,000,000 instruction are being formed overy cleaned are served with continent and over 8,000,000 instruction are being formed overy cleaned are served with colors of white overpressing have been shipped to them. organize a sub-committee in communi- hospital garments and everything committee welcomes the names of neo- way, and fitted to teach others to do ple who might be interested in form-ing sub-committees. Volunteer work-ly unmarried women, can give much ers make up old and new materials of their time to this work and every



NEAT HOUSE DRESSES OF HEAVY COTTONS

as if they were left with no time to consider the matter of personal appearance. They look capable-as they are—of meeting the obligations of life, that are of all, most important, and their housedresses tell their wholesome story.

suit, is here-was here and is always going to be here, like bread and but-ter. Its business is to be strong conter. Its business is to be strong, convenient, plain and shapely and to stand wear and tear with little change of aspect. It must be put to the testof the washtub and emerge therefrom fresh and whole. Because it is plain is no reason why it should be unattrac

The house dress of today is made of strong, cotton fabrics with very oc-

From Checked Toweling.

and crystal-clear glass, red and white hair. The only attempt at ornamen check toweling makes charming tation is on the turnover flap in front aprons and caps for kitchen wear. A where the same design that is on the straight place of toweling about 50 apron is carried out inches long is cut so as to slip on over It ends at the waistline in the back where it is gathered into odge. A simple design is worked in heavy gray cord.

Some women contrive to do their castonal exceptions, when coarse unown housework in nent housedresses blenched linen is used. These excepthat bespeak them the mistresses of tions are destined to become more their occupation. They never look rare and cotton fabrics are the best driven and overwhelmed by work, or for them. The heavy glashams, galatea for them. The heavy ginghams, galatea and harder garden cloth, chambrays and Scotch madras linene and other strong weaves repay best the work of -making them-up.

A good model in linene is shown in the picture. This is a heavy cotton The house dress, like the tailored that looks like unbleached lines Plaid gingham, in white and green, is for the cuffs. The belt button front and the dress is fastened up the side with hone-buttons. -This oflow it to be spread flat for ironing and adds to its trim finish.

die Bottomber

blue and red and a pocket is also or Diverted from its purpose, taken namented with embroidery. The car from the duty of drying fragile chinh is cut large enough to envelop all the

Crochet Stitch Border on Gray Chiffon Navy and gray chiffon are combined the ends of which fasten in a tuniced frock bordered in a wide around to the front. Buttonholing in crochet stitch, the tunic four paneled sed snishes the neck and the lower of gray in uneven lengths is held by a



Let us realize that thoughts are forces, that like creates like, and attracts like and to determine one's thinking therefore is to determine his life.—Ralph Waldo Trine.

SHELLFISH DISHES.

When the oyster season closes clams,



In many parts of our country these be obtained may fresh from the water, but the canned variety is not to be despised. Plain botted

crab eaten right from the shell with a howl of melted hutter to din them into, must once be enten to prove t is one of the choicest of dishes. cooked in boiling salted water,

on lettuce or a bed of water cress. dozen crabs add a tablespoonful of onion or catchup to suit the taste. Put ing hot, bottle and seal, this mixture into the cleaned shells, may be used for fruit sprinkle with buttered crumbs and ring sauces and sherbets. bake until the crumbs are brown.

salt pork, cut in fine dice, until brown; and one large onion chopped fine. ground, season with salt and pepper, add a pint of hot milk and serve pip-

community must be trained in order butter, add-two of flour and cook until pistachio-nuts. well blended. Add a benten egg with Fruit Salad.-Take a cupful of the ment of half a dozen crabs, salt, raspberries, half a cupful of

> as for deviled crab, removing the of water, six tablespo brown part. Mold in the form of cro- and a cupful of fruit juice, when thick using a yolk of egg and as much cold coconut just before serving. water as egg. Dip the croquettes in Almond Sauce.—Stone and chop six the crumbs, then egg and crumbs olives, add hair a cuprul of bianched again and fry as usual in deep fat.—Fish Soup.—This is made of the fish ful of celery cut time. Serve on lettuce ones and trimming cooked with car- leaves with mayonnaise. rots, bay leaf, leeks, parsiey, a hulf dozen oysters and three potatoes, using a quart of the fish stock.

Happiness depends quite as much on what we don't do as upon what we

GOOD SEASONING.

There seems to be no difference of opinion in regard to the value of



properly sensoning food. A plain dish, with an artist's hand in sensoning, becomes somelightful, while all the rich foods in the world put together with no care as to combination

herb garden of our grandmothers if chicken with enough stock to make the we are to realize the true zest of well-preserved herbs. She realized that and pepper. Thicken the remaining her meats, soups, as well as cakes, stock with one and a half tablespoon-doughnuts, and crullers, lacked charm fuls of flour mixed with rold water. without the well-chosen herbs or spices, using this amount for every cupful of beneficial training for boys of Scout is very rude and unkind. a bit of parsley to garnish her platter. When serving, allow two slices of of cold meat she was contributing to bread cut thin; place one slice on a the health of her family as well as hot plate, spread a spoonful of the their artistic sense. Parsley acts upon chicken mixture over it and cover with

Some of the most inexpensive seasonings that may be grown in the potatoes. kitchen garden, and will prove a deserved light to see growing as well as to people. sage, thyme, marjoram, chervil, horseradish, mustard, celery (celery tips dried. To these we add curry, mace, nutmeg, cloves, mixed pickle spices

and hav leaves. Mint is used with lamb in different salads and as an addition to a refreshing drink.

Sage as a seasoning in stuffings for pork roasts or poultry or ham. Added to comment mush for frying or as a seasoning for string beans. Thyme and marjoram, with fowl,

meats and with holled beans, Chervil as a garnish for salads and neats, green mustard springled over lettuce or any salad, horseradish as Green Pea Omelet,—A rew lettuce a relish for meat and a seasoning for green peas may be stirred into an omelet just before putting to cook and on the principle of them around served with rice or cabbage, cauliflow-

er. carrots-or onions. Dill, fresh, in egg or plain salads, cream soups or boiled fish.

Not in Accord.

sent you a thought wave just now," said the temperamental young

"Did you receive it?" "I don't know," answered the prac-tical young man, "I felt something blowing on the back of my neck, but I supposed it was a draught."

Rather Noisy. Parker-And you say that she was

oudly dressed?
Omar—Well, not exactly that, per-Omar-Well, not exactly that, per-of my class and go up against some haps, but her skirts made a lot of noise, 110-pound guy you're mistaken."

Happiness is the only good. The place to be happy is here. The time to be happy is now. The way to be happy is to make others so.—Robert In-

WAYS OF SERVING FRUITS.

Toss some rine even sized strawber crabs and shrimps have their season, ries in French dressing to marinate Serve them on lettuce -with-chicken-o

lamb. Strawberry Gateau. Make a round sponge cake and when cold scoon out the inside and with a pink icing, then fill the center with whipped cream and strawberries that have been cut up and sugared

to taste. Pile high and garnish with Crab Salad. The crub meat is care-fully removed from the shell after be-angelica and serve at once. Strawberry Sirup.-Take six pounds

mixed with salad dressing and served of strawberries, two pints of water, n lettuce or a bed of water cress. two ounces of tartaric acid and the Deviled Crab.—To the meat from sugar needed. Dissolve the acid in the water and pour over the fruit. bread crumbs, one tablespoonful of Let stand twenty-four hours, then melted butter, one hard cooked egg, strain off the juice without crushing chopped fine, a dash of pepper, two the fruit. All or three cupfuls of sugar tublespoonfuls of said describes the fruit. tublespoonfuls of salad dressing and to every pint of Juice and when bollmay be used for fruit drinks, nud-

ake until the crumbs are brown. Cherry Mousse.—Cook together a Clam Chowder.—Fry four slices of pound of cherries and one-half cupful of sugar. Put two tablespoonfuls of then add two tablespoonfuls of flour, cherry juice into a basin, add the yolks of two eggs and cook over water When the onion is light yellow add a stirring until creamy; dissolve one cupful or two of diced raw potato and a half teaspoonfuls of powdered and a pint of boiling water and when gelatin with a half cupful of cherry they are nearly tender drop in a quart Juice, add it to the yolks, with oneof clams that have been chopped or half cupful of whipped cream and the whites of the eggs beaten stiff and a few drops of red color. Pour into ing hot with crackers.

Small wet molds lined round with paCrab Stew.—Melt a tablespoonful of per; decorate with whipped cream and

pint of milk, a pinch of soda and strawherries, one-half cupful of ripe cleaned are served with celery on u of white currents and two tablespoon-bed-of-lettuce-with salad dressing. fulls of chopped coconut. For the salad Crab Croquettes.-Prepare the crabs dressing, cook together a half cupful to the bread crumbs used for dipping, the fruit and sprinkle with chopped

When serving a cold drink, to-make

water-then-fill-with-the-iced drink. To be honest, to be fearless, to be just, joyous, kind: To get up immedi-ately when we stumble, face again to the light and travel on without wast-ing even a moment in regret.—R. W. Trine.

the glass more attractive roll it in hot

GOOD THINGS FOR THE TABLE.



be served at slight Hot Chicken the chicken until

in making the gravy. Cool and will be "a mixture and a cut it into bits with the scissors. Put has found a better way to train and the skin and giblets, omitting the liver, where the old-fashioned through the meat chopper and mix the herb garden of our grandmothers if chicken with enough stock to make the tary men named above, the president not know that when she used stock. Let it boil and season well. the kidneys, assisting in the elimina- a second-slice, then dip a ladle of gravy over it. Serve with a generous

portion of well-cooked rice or mashed potatoes. One chicken cooked and served in this manner will serve 18 use in winter to increase the palatability of various dishes, are the following: Parstey, mint, dill. tarragon, boiled salad-dressing, four tablespoonfuls of strained chill sauce, two table spoonfuls of diced pitnentos, a half dried), caraway seed, and mushrooms, inbiespoonful of chives cut in half-inch lengths, and a tablespoonful of tarra-gon vinegar. Mix all the ingredients

and chill well; then serve on-lettuce. Egg Dish .- Melt a tablespoonful of butter in a baking dish, cover with crumbs and pour over a half a can of mock turtle soup diluted with a third of a cupful of hot water. Break five eggs very carefully over the top.
Sprinkle with half a teaspoonful of salt, an eighth of a teaspoonful of pepsquab or fish and in dressing for per and a third of a tenspoonful of curry powder well mixed. Dot with bits of butter and bake from 12 to 15

the platter.

Levie Maxmell

A. Misunderstanding, Lady of the House (discharging the cook as easily as possible)-I shall have to get another servant, Martha. The Cook-Dat won't be too many ma'am, 'cause there's work enough

Misunderstood Her. "Willie, you musn't fight any of the

heah fo' three girls, ma'am,

if you think I'm going out

THE RELIGIOUS ELEMENT

The Boy Scouts of America main cain that no boy can grow into the best kind of citizenship without recognizing his obligation to God, according to the constitution and by-laws recent ly adopted by the incorporators. In the first part of the boy scout's outh or pledge the constitution states, the boy promises, "On my honor I will do my host to do my duty to God and my country, and to obey the scout law."

The regognition of God as the ruling and leading power in the universe, and the grateful acknowledgment of his favors and blessings, is necessary to the best type of citizenship, and is a wholesome thing in the education of the growing boy. No matter what the Jew—this fundamental need of good citizenship should be kept before him. The Boy Scouts of America therefore recognizes the religious element in the training of a boy, but it is absolutely non-sectarian in its attitude toward that religious training. Its policy is the organization or institution that with which the boy scout is connected shall give definite attention to his re-

BLACKBERRIES.



One of the Joys of camp life among the acouts.

NOT TO DO WORK OF MEN.

The Boy Scout movement does not put the idea of killing in the mind of Boy Scouts; it does not put instru-

Uncle Sam does not want boy soldiers. Military work is a man's work. There is no reason why the nation should ask its boys to become soldiers. They are needed for boys' work.

Col. Theodore Roosevelt, Maj. Gen. Leonard A. Wood, the secretary of war, seriously concerned with the plenty of water, proper preparations of our boys for their full duty as citizens, are officers. of the Boy Scouts of America.

The hove work in the Boy Scouts age than any "military" course

SCOUTS KNOW HOW.

scout does not run away or call for help when an acoldent occurs. If n person is cut he knows how to stop the flow of blood and gently and carefully bind up the wound. If a person is burned his knowledge tells him how to alleviate the suffering. If anyone is dragged from the water unconscious a scout at once sets to work to restore respiration and circulation, - He knows that not a minute can be lost.

STATE ASKS SCOUTS' AID.

Boy Scouts for help to buttle a plague. The plague is the tussock moth, a pest

TIPS FOR SCOUTS.

Offer your services as a leader to any organization in advancing this project. You can be of especial help your teacher by undertaking to care for school and home gardens during your school vacation. Be a leader. Learn to save your crop by home anning and drying, before the haresting season begins.

If you can raise poultry, do so, Secure garbage food from neighbors and feed them at small cost to yourself. Eliminate waste.

The Last Word. "I suppose your wife always has the last word in the argument."
"I dunno," replied Mr. Meekton, gloomily. "We haven't yet got near enough to the end of it to figure on the

"That rich old man that Maud man ried was a regular cheat"

"Why, wasn't he as rich as he said "Yes; but he wan't as old as he

BY MARY GRAHAM BONNER.

CLOCK AND WATCH.

"It's too absurd," said the clock. watch which had been put on the stand beside the clock. "You are forever making those funny speeches which mean absolutely nothing."

"They mean something to me." said the clock.

"Perhans, -perhans," said the watch "But that is a very selfish way of looking at things, Just suppose, for a mo-ment, everyone only thought of what interested themselves and only talked of something they understood and no one else—what a very confusing world it would be. I do believe I'd get rattled and lose time, or else gain time to try to eatch up to everything that was being said. In fact that is my trouble anyway. I am always trying to catch up. I have to."

"Now, there!" said the clock. is confusing now? I am sure I don't know why you complain about the fact that I said something you didn't inderstand. For you've said something I don't understand!"

"That's fair enough," said the watch "Fair enough," said the clock, "I'll

"Nonsense!" said the watch, ticking very loudly in its excitement. "You



He Runs Around All Day.

have to keep good time or you wouldn't be left alone. You'd be sen be tinkered with and pulled to pieces. ing black eye-glass would peer at you and say to your master:

"The clock's main spring is broken it will cost a great deal of money to have it fixed.

"And then your master will look at you and wonder if you are worth mending. And you'll be in fear and trembling that your master will think make you much ashamed."

clock in a patronizing tone, "that may have been your experience, but it has never been mine. Goodness only knows how many times you have been to the watch mender's shop. But have never been to one. And I do go my own sweet way. Of course I do my work-that is to keep time. It's just as easy to be on time as to be late. Just as easy. All one has to do is to keep up with the hours and not waste. Wasting those moments is such a bad business. They're mean lit-__things-moments-and_ mighty apt to creep up into half hours the secretary of the navy, the chief of buying such a nice sociable time I'll stuff of the United States army—these tell you what I meant when I said 'It's too absurd,' but you must tell me what you meant when you said, ly only a few minutes before. 'I am always trying to catch up.' I neonle saving that someone has a face care as to combination gravy. Cool and of America does not include strictly that would stop a clock. What they or of proper seasoning remove the meat from the bones and military drill. The Scout movement linear is that someone's face is very queer or very ugly. In the first place I wouldn't stop for any face! Only for-my own. If my hands got twisted tary men named above, the president I'd stop-but for a real face, no, inever started such nonsensical talk should never have the honor of owning either a clock or a watch. Also it should talk about anyone's face in

> and-are-liked-for-different thingslovely eyes or wonderful smiles "True," said the watch. "It's hoth an-absurd-thing to say and very, very unkind. Now-when I said that I had to hurry and catch up-or rather try has a foolish way of frying to hurry me up at the last moment. He walts and fusses and wastes his time, and then he wonders how he can reach most before he starts if he wants to For the first time in the history of be on time. Then I hurry and try to the state. Ohio has called upon the catch up to him as he seems in such a rush. And the trouble is I'm way ahead of the time he wants me to be. I try that was destroying the trees of Can-to keep up with his hurrying—for-ton, President-McKinley's home-town—after he has wasted a great deal of time he does try to hurry. In fact he runs around all day trying to catch up with himself, and I run around with him. But I've learned enough not to vary. It's of no use. He tried put-ting me ahead of time one day but it was senseless when I disagreed with

such a fashion. All the time they are

talking, other people may not like

every other watch, and everyone said to my master, 'Your watch is fast.' We watches must agree, you know, and so I just get nervous trying to eatch up with the lost moments for my master, and the only thing, I find, for him to ito is to expect less of me and my mistakes but to start off everything

He Meant Well.

"Mary, are you very poor?" asked

Tommy.

Mary, who had been brought to the dancing class in her mother's limou-sine, answered: "I don't think so I'll ask papa:"
"Mother said you did not look like

ON TIME!"

you had enough to ent," said Tommie, "and if it's because you are poor, I'll save you something every day,"

Cause Happy Thoughts. "It requires only one kind act to cause happy thoughts to flow."

FOUR WEEKS IN HOSPITAL

No Relief—Mrs. Brown Fin-ally Cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.



for if I stepped on a little stone I would almost faint. One day I did faint and my husband was sent for and the doctor came. I was ta-ken to the hospital and stayed four weeks but when I came ne I would faint just the same and

had the same pains. A friend who is a nurse asked me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Com-pound. I began taking it that very day for I was suffering a great deal. It has already done me more good than the hospital. To anyone who is suffering as I was my advice is to stop in the first drug-store and get a bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound before you go home."—Mrs. W. C. BROWN,



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A New Measure for Distance. Some mud-bespattered autolsts were attempting to reach Nashville, Brown county. Even with chains on their line in investigating a washout or a vailey which they had left triumphant-

Three times in-three hours they had asked the distance and each time had

received the same answer.

"Bout three miles to Nashville." It is true that in those three hours they had hid one blowout and once they had to get a team of horses to pull them out of the unid. But even so, it seemed as if they could not be more than a half mile away. Finally

they met a man on horseback. "How far to Nashville? Three miles. I suppose!" But the fine sarcasm was -not lost on him. -He grinned and said

in a soft voice: "You're most there, It's jest two hoops and a hollar away,"-Indianapo lis News.

LIFT YOUR CORNS OFF WITH FINGERS

How to loosen a tender corn or callus so it lifts out -without-pain, -

Let folks step on your feet-herenfter: wear shoes a size smaller if you like, for corns will never again send electric sparks of pain through you, according to this Cincinnati-authority.

He says that a few drops of a drug called freezone, applied directly upon a tender, aching corn, instantly relleves soreness, and soon the entire corn, root and all, lifts right out. This drug dries at-once and simply shrivels up the corn or callus without

even irritating the surrounding skin A small bottle of freezone obtained at any drug store will cost very little but will positively remove every hard or soft corn or callus from one's feet. If your druggist hasn't stocked this new drug yet, tell him to get a small bottle of freezone for you from his wholesale drug house,-adv

Just Reversed. Doctor-Did he take the medicine I prescribed for him religiously? Nurse-No, sir; he swore every

About the Thing.
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and had not left his stateroom

do you remember the mysteries we

the old Intrepid days? Well, I went

in, and there, to be sure, the poor fel-

low lay in his berth, smiling pleasant-

ly as he gave me his hand, but look-

ing very frail. I could not help a

a little shrine he had made of the hox

he was lying in. The stars and stripes

were triced up above and around a picture of Washington, and he had

nainted a majestic eagle, with light-

nings biazing from his beak and his

foot just clasping the whole globe.

dear old boy saw my glance, and said,

with a sad smile, 'Here, you see, I have a country!' And then he pointed to

dary all the way to the Pacific, but on

Stop! stop! Do not speak till I say

"Tell Me Their Names," He Said.

do. There are thirty-four stars in

names are. There has never been one

taken away: -I -thank God -for -that......1

back on it after-such-a-life-as-mine!

But tell me-tell me something-tell

ger, delicacy or no delicacy, who was I

tyrant all this time over this dear.

"Oh, the blessed smile that crep

over his white face! and he pressed my

"Well, that was not a bad text, and

supposed his brother's grave was; and he had guessed at Texas. Then he

pected partly, because he had never been permitted to land on that shore,

brought off a good deal besides furs. Then he went back-heavens, how

far-to ask about the Chesapeake, and

what was done to Barron for surren-

dering her to the Leonard, and wheth-

er Burr ever tried again, and he ground

his teeth with the only passion he

which his wings overshadowed.

FOURTH INSTALLMENT. Ilfe to tell you that it is all over with

There is a story that Nolan met on this voyage more than I ever was. Burr once on one of our vessels, when and I can understand wholly now the a party of Americans came on board way in which you used to speak of the In the Mediterranean. But this I be dear old fellow. I could see that he lieve to be a lie; or rather, it is a was not strong, but I had no idea that myth, ben trovato, involving a trethe end was so near. The doctor had
mendous blowing up with which he
been watching him very carefully, and sank Burr, asking him how he liked yesterday morning came to me and to be "without a country." But it is told me that Nolan was not so well, clear, from Burr's life, that nothing of the sort could have happened; and thing I never remember before. mention this only as an illustration had let the doctor come and see him as of the stories which get a-going where he lay there, the first time the doctor there is the least mystery at bottom.

here is the least mystery at bottom, had been in the stateroom, and he said.

So Philip Noisn had his wish ful. he should like to see me. Oh, deary filled. Poor fellow, he repented of his do you remember the mysteries we folly, and then, like a man, submitted boys used to invent about his room, in to the fate he had asked for. He never intentionally added to the difficulty or delicacy of the charge of those who had him in hold, Accidents would happen; but they never happened from his fault. Lieutenant Truxton told me that when Texas was annexed, there was a careful discussion among the officers, whether they should get hold of Nolan's handsome set of maps, and cut Texas out of it, from the map of the world and the map of Mexico. The United States had been cut out when the atlas was bought for him. was-voted-rightly-enough, thatto do this would be virtually to reveal to him what had happened, or, as Harry Cole said, to make him think Old Burr had succeeded. So it was from no fault of Nolan's that a great botch happened at my own table, when, for a short time. I was in command of George Washington corvette, on the South American station. We were officers, who had been on shore, and ing-us-with-accounts-of-their-misadentures in riding the half-wild horses of Buenos Aires. Notan was at table and was in an unusually bright and talkative mood. Some story of a tum. am dying. I cannot get home. Sure that would show the grandeur of his tie-reminded imm of an adventure of ly you will tell me something now? country and its-prosperity. his own, when he was catching wild horses in Texas with his brother Steph what I am suce you know, that there as I cannot tell you. He grew more en, at a time when he must have been quite a boy. He told the story with a good deal of spirit—so much so, that there—a more he was tired or faint. I gave him a loyal man than I. There cannot be a glass of water, but he inst wat his lines the stime which of some which colors are the stime which the story with the story the stience which often follows a good story hung over the table for an instant, to be broken by Nolan himself. For he asked, perfectly unconsciously,

"Pray, what has become of Texas? After the Mexicans got their independwould come forward very fast. It is really one of the Italy of this continent. But I have not seen or heard a word of Texas for near twenty years."

There were two Texan officers at the table. The reason he had never heard of Texas was that Texas and her affairs had been painfully out of his newspapers since Austin began his settlements; so that, while he read of Honduras and Tamaulipas, and, till quite lately, of California, this virgin province. in which his brother traveled so far and, I believe, had died. had ceased to be with him. Walters and Williams, the two Texas men. looked grimly at each other, and tried not to laugh. Edward Morris had his attention attracted by the third link in the chain of the captain's chandelier. Watrous was seized with a con-vulsion of succeing. Noian himself saw that something was to pay, he didnot know what. And I, as master of the feast, had to say:

"Texas is out of the map. Mr. No- that, though I do not know what their ian. Have you seen Captain Back's curious account of Sir Thomas Roe's

ian again. I wrote to him at least twice a year, for in that voyage we reven confidentially intimate; idea of personal fame or of separate never wrote to me.—The other severeignty seems, when—one—looks but he never wrote to me. The other he aged very fast, as well he might d, but that he was still the same gentle, uncomplaining, silent sufferer. that he ever was, bearing as best he could his self-appointed punishment. men whom he did not know, but more that I should have been acting the my home, and I love it. But will not anxious, apparently, than ever to serve and befriend and teach the boys, some of whom fairly seemed to worship him. And now it seems the dear old fellow the madness of a boy's transon?—Mr. ought to bear? Say on it; is dead. He has found a home at Nolan, said I I will tell you everything _______in Memory of you ask about. Only, where shall I begin? last, and a country.

Since writing this, and while considering whether or no I would print it, as a warning to the young of today of what it is to throw away a country, hand and said, 'God bless you! Tell "'He loved his country as no other I have received from Danforth, who is me-their names,' he said, and he point, man has loved her; but no man deon board the Levant, a letter which ed to the stars on the flag. 'The last gives an account of Nolan's last hours. I know is Ohio. My father lived in To understand the first words of the Kentucky. But I have guessed Mich

tetter, the nonprofessional reader igna and Indiana and Mississippi—that should remember that after 1817 the was where Fort Adams is—they make position of every officer who had No. I wenty. But where are your other ian in charge was one of the greatest fourteen? You have not cut up any delicacy. The government had failed of the old ones, I hope? the order of 1807 regarding him. What was a man to do? Should I told him the names, in as good orthe let him got What, then, it he der as Lecuid, and he hade me take were called to account by the depart. down his beautiful map and draw them ment for violating the order of 1807? In as I hest could with my pencil. He Should-he-keep-him? What, then, if was wild with delight about Texas Notan should be liberated some day, told me how his brother died there and should bring an action for false he had-marked a gold cross where he ery man who had had him in charge? I urged and pressed this upon South was delighted as he saw California ard, and I have reason to think that and Oregon that, he say, he had susother officers did the same thing. But the secretary always said, as they so though the ships were there so much.
'And the men,' said he, laughing, often do at Washington, that there were no special orders to give, and that we must act on our own judg-ment. That means, "If you succeed, you will be sustained; if you fail, you will be disayowed." Well, as Danforth says, all that is over now, though I do not know but I expose myself to a over, and he said, God forgive me, for I am sure I forgive him.' Then

of the very revelation I am making. Here is the letter: "Levant, 2° 2° S. @ 131° W. *Dear Fred—I try to find heart and he asked about the old war—told springs is utilized as a sanatorium.

me the true story of his serving the about dear old David Porter, as he called him. Then he settled down more quietly, and very happily, to lient me tell in an hour the history of fifty

"How I wished it had been somebody who knew something! But 1 as well as I could. I told him of the English war. I told him about Fulton and the steamboat beginning. I told him about old Scott and Jackson: told him all I could think about the Mississippi, and New Orleans, and Texas, and his own old Kentucky. And do you know he asked who was in command of the Legion of the life to tell you that it is all over with West? I told him it was a very galdenrold Nolan. I have been with him lant officer named Grant, and that by our last news, he was about to estab-

lish his headquarters at Vicksburg.
Then, 'Where was Vicksburg?' I
worked that out on the map; it was about a hundred miles, more or less. above his old Fort Adams; and thought Fort Adams must be a ruin now. 'It must be at old Vick's plantation,' said he; 'well, that is a change!

"I tell you, Ingham, it was a hard thing to condense the history of half a century into that talk with a sick man. And I do not know what I told hlm—of emigration, and the means of it—of steamboats and railroads and telegraphs of inventions and books and literature—of the colleges and West Point and the Naval school— but with the queerest interruptions that ever you heard. You see it was Robinson Crusoe asking all the accumulated questions of fifty-six years.
"I remember he usked, all of a sud-

den, who was president now; and when I told him, he asked if Old Abe was-Gen. Benjamin Lincoln's son. He said he met-old General Lincoln, when he was quite a boy himself, at some Indian treaty. I said no, that Old Abe was a Kentuckian like himself, but I could not tell him of what family; he had worked up from the ranks. Good the root of his bed, where I had not for him! cried Nolan I am glad of States, as he had drawn it from memory, and which he had there to look in keeping up those regular successions. upon as he lay. Quaint, queer old slons in the first families. Then larges were on it, in large letters: got talking about my visit to Wash-'Indiana Territory,' Mississippi Ter. Ington. I told him of meeting the Gre-ritory,' and Louisiana,' as I supposed gon congressman, Harding; I told him our, fathers learned such things; but the old fellow had patched in Texas. expedition; I told him about the capital such that the confidence of the too; he had carried his western boun-dary all the way to the Pacific, but on and Crawford's Liberty'—and that shore he had defined nothing. Greenough's Washington: Ingham, I "'Oh, Danforth, he said, 'I know I told him everything I could think of

"And he drank it in, and enjoyed-it man who loves the old flag as I do, or and told me not to go away. Then he prays for it as I do, or hopes for it as asked me to bring the Presbyterian Book of Public Prayer, which lay there, and said, with a smile, that it would open at the right place—and so it did. There was his double red mark down the page; I knelt down and read, and he repeated with me, 'For ourselves and our country, O gracloug God, we thank thee, that, notwithstanding our manifold transgressions of thy holy laws, thou hast continued to us thy marvelous kindness'and so to the end of that thanksgiving. Then he turned to the end of

the same book, and I read the words more familiar to me: 'Most heartly we beseech thee with thy favor to be fold and bless thy servant, the president of the United States, and all-others in authority'-and the rest of the Engennal collect. 'Danforth.' said he, 'I have repeated those prayers night and morning, it is now fifty-five years.' And then he said he would

go to sleep. He bent me down over him and kissed me; and he said. 'Look in my Bible, Danforth, when I am gone.' And I went away. "But I had no thought it was the end. I thought he was tired and

would sleep. I knew he was happy, and I wanted him to be alone. "But in an hour, when the doctor went in gently, he found Nolan had breathed his_life_away_with_a_smile.

forth, Danforth, he signed out, how the Order of Cincinnatilike a wretched night's dream a boy's "We looked in his Bibl "We looked in his Bible, and there was a slip of paper, at the place-where he had marked the text— "They desire a country, even a heavenly: wherefore God me everything, Danforth, before I die l'ashamed to be called their God: for

"Ingham, I swear to you that I felt like a monster that I and not told him "On this slip of paper he had w "On this slip of paper he had writverything before. Danger or no dan- ten: "Bury me in the sea; it has been someone set up a stone for my mem-ory at Fort Adams or at Orleans, that sainted old man, who had years ago ory at Fort Adams or at Orleans, that explated, in his whole manhood's life, my disgrace may not be more than I

> PHILIP NOLAN-Lieutenant in the Army of the United States.

Mickle's Manauver. "Henry, I've come to see your ne tenographer." said his wife. "But, my dear, she will offend your-esthetic sense!" protested Mickles. "She's a sight. I told you she was a

(THE END.

served less at her hands.

"She's a sight." "I insist on seeing," replied Mrs. M. "Very well, but wait-till I finish-dictating a letter. It's very important— it's to—Hibbim—& Diggum canceling an order for a dozen lead pencils and

"I'll not wait a second." "Just as you say, my dear. But your hat isn't on straight. There's a glass

"O, dear, I'll just fix it. I'll be there in a minute.".

And she went over to the glass to

straighten-her-hat, and in-the half-hour it took her to do it, Mickles had Gunners From the Rockingham Tell let his beautiful new stenographer out the window on an improvised rope ludder, and hauled up a frightfully ly one for whom he had telephoned to the employment bureau. Detroit Free Press.

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Federal Supply Runs Out, but Bacteri ological Laboratory at East Lansing is Saving Day for Michigan.

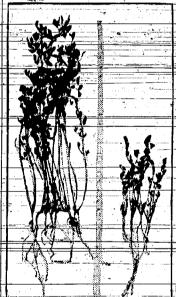
East Lansing, Mich.-Under pressure of the demand being made upon them for food and more food, Michigan farmers are expected this season to devote more ground than commonly to alfalfa and leguminous crops generally, but their success, in the case of alfalfa, at least, will be good or otherwise only it the seed or soil is inoculated with the right kind of bacteria.

These bacteria, which are principally furnished to the farmer in the form of cultures, are secured usually from the ture and the bacteriological depart ment of the Michigan Agricultural col lege, but this spring the Michigan institution will be compelled to meet the demand alone, for notices sent out from Washington a few days ago announce that the federal bacteriologists will not fill any more orders until July 1. The crop campaign, it is said, has practically cleaned them out of the forming "bugs."

Still, the M. A. C. laboratory is expected-to-prove equal-to-the occasion for while 2,000 or more cultures have already been sent to various parts of the state, there is reported to be a supply on hand adequate, at least, for Michigan's requirements.

Two Methods of Inoculation. Two methods of inoculation are employed. One-of these consists in mixing the alfalfa or clover seed as the case may be, with the bacterial culture The other known as the soll-income tion method, consists in distributing over the field to be planted soil from some field which has produced good crops of milule-forming legumes

Where soil is used, 390 or 400 pounds of soil from the old alfalfa or clove field are put on each acre of the new field, either by running it through a



BACTERIA MAKE ALFALFA THRIVE.

The seed from which the plant on the left sprang up was inoculated. No treatment was given the puny plant on the right.

grain drill, or by broadcasting it, after the land has been fitted. The inoculatvious account of Sir Thomas Roe's taken away; I think God for Junt. I He had something pressed close to top four or five linches of the old field.

After that cruise I never saw No been any successful Burr. Oh, Dan his lips. It was his father's badge of after an inch of the surface soil has been removed. The best time to apply it to the new field is in the evening ust before a rain, or during a rain done before the seed is sown.

When the purse cultures are employed, the procedure is as follows:

1. Do not open the bottle of culture until you are ready to treat the seed, and treat only as much seed as you can 2. Cover the seed with water and

after standing from two to five minutes allow all moisture to drain away. (It convenient to place the seed in a grain sack and dip into a tub of fresh, clean water, then suspend the sack for

3. Spread the seed on a clean oilcloth, table or floor in a clean, shady place.

4. Break up the culture by shaking or jarring the bottle against the hand, pour a little clean, cold water (from ne to three tenspoonfuls) into the hottle of culture and mix the contents? with the seed. It is recommended and thought best by many who are auhorities in seed inoculation that about two ounces of granulated sugar he nixed throughout the mass of moistened seed before treating with the culture. The use of glue is condemned.

5. If the seed is too wet and sticky

to plant, it may be spread out in the shade. It should be neither wet nor dry, but as moist as it can be and yet seed evenly. Plant the seed just as you would treat untreated seed.

6. A small strip should be planted

with uninoculated seed for com and this should be seeded first. uninoculated seed for compari

of 48 Hours Adrift in Open Boat

"U" RAID SURVIVORS ARRIVE | MORE TREASURY NOTES OUT

Indebtedness to Be Taken Up by Banks

New York .- The British steamship Washington.-The treasury department announced a third offering of \$200,000,000 worth of treasury certifiwhich picked up 14 men of the Amer-ican steamship Rockingham after that vessel was torpedoed and sunk off the Irish coast May 1 arrived here with entes of Indebtedness. Treasury offi cials expect the issue to be subscribed them. Two men were killed. All the by the banks and trust companies of survivors have returned to Amerthe nation within the next two or three

FERTILIZERS HELP POTATOES Improve Yield of Crop When Judi-

piled judiciously, have been recom-mended by potato specialists of the Michigan Agricultural college as help ful "first aids" in improving the potato crop—though the warning is added that they are advocated to supplement stable manure, and not to take the place of it.

"Under war conditions," it is ex-plained, "potash is too expensive to warrant its general use for potatoes. Nitrogen also is high in price, and should be used only sparingly and with judgment, but when a clover or alfalfa nitrogen need not be very great. A fertilizer containing from 2 to 4 per cent of nitrogen and from 8 to 12 per the potato crop under present condi-

"When a clover or alfalfa sod is plowed under, from 250 to 500 pounds of acid phosphate per acre will do, but if no manure hus been applied to the sod, 200 or 250 pounds of fertilizer contuining 2 per cent of nitrogen and from B to 10 per cent of phosphoric acid may be used in addition to the acid phosphate. Acid phosphate may be used with profit in larger quantities on heavier soils than on light ones.

"The results from the use of com erable extent upon the method of application. Very little benefit will result from the scattering of the fertiless it is worked into the moist soll ment is a good tool for accomplishing

"If the potatoes are planted with a orse planter which has a fertilizer at nchment, 200 to 250 pounds of fer tilizer may be applied in the furrow and the remainder broadcast."

POULTRY QUICK MEAT SOURCE Cockerels Can Be Marketed When Four Weeks Old.

East Lansing, Mich.-In these days when quick meat production is almost as essential as big meat production ing market demands, if we are to be we what the American Poultry asse cintion is telling the public. To its rec nmendations the poultry departmen of the Michigan Agricultural college has added the suggestion that persons with a back yard which isn't being nu to some useful purpose can profitably raise a few hens.

"Pullets," say the poultrymen, "can he brought into laying condition in-four months' time. Cockerels can be marketed when four weeks old-addedis-no-other animal-on-the-farm-capable of converting wuster material into so delicious meat in such a short period. "If every family living on the outskirts of our larger cities, or in the sinaller_villages,_was_to_keep_a_halfdozen hens, the family food cost would be appreciably lowered through the production of eggs. Droppings from he table instead of passing through the garbage can, would be transformed by hens into an article of food of highest merit—accomplishing at one stroke the double aim of the present campaign to conserve food, as well as to increase production.

"A well-bred hen will produce an average of ten dozen eggs a year, and for the small dock, which derives its maintenance from the home tables, a "Ten hens will keep an average fam-

ily in eggs for a year, and perhaps produce a few extra ones for sale. A hen needs but a square rod of space, and a backyard three rods by four rods will keep ten hens, and a piano box supplies all the required shelter. Lawn clippings will do for green food.

CLEAN SEED INSURES BEANS

Precautions Must Be Taken to Guard Against Disease Losses of

East Lansing, Mich.-Recalling the disastrous losses which the bean diseases, anthracnose and blight, have caused-in-the past, Michigan Agricultural college bean men are advocatif the Michigan farmer is going to do as effective work in the furrows this summer as the soldiers in the trenches. Trimmed to the "hone." their recom-

mendations are the following: Plant the best beans obtainable, and e home-grown seed, rather than seed from outside of the state. California

beans, for instance, will not mature in Michigan. If your own seed is to be used, see first that it is carefully hand-picked and all blighted and frosted beans

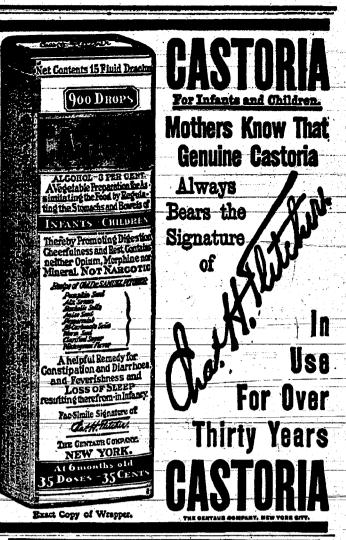
taken out. Only clean seed will produce a clean crop. Do not plant immature or frosted beans. They will neither germinate well nor bring forth vigorous plants.

Do not cultivate the-beans while wet with rain or dew. To do so will spread the blight. Those in doubt as to the cleanliness of their seed are invited to send a

sample to the botany department of the college for free examination An effective use of manure this year s on fields intended for beans or late potatoes.

The application of either acid phos phate or soluble bone meal at the rate f-from-200-to-800-pounds-per-acre is also advisable.

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When your liver is out of order, your head, stomach, bile and bowels suffer with it. That is why a bilious attack is often serious. Ward it off with a few doses of

which gently arouse a sluggish liver, and renew the activities so necessary to good health. They never produce any disagreeable after-effects. Their prompt use is beneficial to the system and will

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Directions of Special Value to Women are with Every Box.
Sold by druggists throughout the world. In boxes, 10c., 25c.

Short With the Bores.

Dr. Charles W. Eliot, who recently celebrated his eighty-third birthday in Cambridge, has always had a short way with bores.

In a hotel one day a hore tackled much. Doctor Eliot and talked straight ahead for ten minutes about classical literature, the best hundred books, ten-foot shelves, and so forth.,
"I tell you." Doctor Eliot interrupted

warmly-"I tell you, man, there are no mussels to compare with the abilons

mussels you get in 'Frisco."
"No doubt," said the bore, "but what has that got to do with what I was

Doctor Eliot yawned. "What were you talking about?" he much; in sixteen suits-or less too

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There's no longer the slightest need of feeling schamed of your freekles, as the prescription othere — double strength — is guaranteed to remove these homely spots. Simply get an ounce of othine—double strength—from your drugsist, and apply a little of it night and morning and you should soon see that even the worst freekles have begun to disappear, while the lighter ones have vanished entirely. It is seldom that more than one ounce is needed to completely clear the skin and gain a beautiful clear complexion.

Be sure-to-ask-for—the—double—strength othine, as this is sold under guarantee of money back if it falls to remove freekles.—Adv.

It Does. "Three moves are as bad as a fire." "And one visit of the paperhangers

Much Too Much. We try too much to beat too much. We growl too-much. much. We play the midnight owl too We ape too much. We gape too

much, and dally with red tape too much.-We treat too much, and cheat too much, and fear to face defeat too

We buy too much. We lie too much, and snivel and deny too much. We save too much, and slave too much,

with one foot in the grave too much.
We sit too much. We spit too much. wear shoes too tight to fit too much. We mess too much and dress too

We spite too much. We fight too much and seek the great white light too much We read too much We speed too much, hit dope and use the weed too much. We drink too much. We prink too much. I think we even think too much.—Oscar Schleif, in

Tender.

"She's tenderhearted."

Health Culture.

She says she couldn't think

"Pa, what is a silent partner?"
"Most any married man, son, when his wife's around," monned pop.

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e excellent grasses, full of nutrition, are the only of required either for beef or dairy purposes of schools, churches, markets cubvenion, climate cellent. There is an unusual domand for farm or to replace the many young men who have justeered for the war. Write for literature and

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the past it would seem selection of a

tree has been made with only the thot

of its value in pleasing the eye after

being cut down and set up for orna-

mentation, losing sight of the fact

work together with the view of pro-

tecting our beautiful and valuable

trees, however small, or the proverb-

ial pine forests of Michigan will in-

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Will you be 50 years old or 50 years

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he cough be kept loose and expector-

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy,

deed be a thing of the past.

M Lewis

register a protest against the ruthless Correspondence. tive purposes, at social functions. In

Lovells Mr. and Mrs. David Schiable of Grayling enjoyed the Gleaner meeting held last Wednesday by Mr. Hought-

that if left it will always increase in T. E. Douglas, his mother Mrs. E. value, and that much of the life of Douglas, and Margaret Douglas motor our Michigan forests depends on the ed to Grayling and Frederic Tuesday. careful and thotful selection for dec-A. M. Parker, of Detroit who has orative purposes of trees and shrubpurchased land of T. E. Douglas has bery which have no commercial value. already began his building.

We hear much about the conservation of our Michigan forests and to Mr. Chas. Eschmann of Detroit join ed part of his family Monday and will the Association which has this in charge, belongs the duty of taking spend the summer at their cottage on steps to prevent the useless waste oc-Big Creek. casioned by carelessness along this

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Lvntz and babe and Mr. and Mrs. C. Stillwagon spent Let us all however in our small way Sunday at the Eschmann cottage.

A party of friends with Mr. Leykauff of Detroit are enjoying an outing at

the latters' cottage. Margaret Douglas left Wednesday for a few days visit with relatives in West Branch.

Mrs. McCormick who has been quite sick in West Brauch, returned to her home in Lovells Wednesday morning Jane Armond, one of the helpers at "The North Branch Outing Club" is

enthartic. Dr. Navann's kidney tabnear West Brauch. Sixteen men between the required iges registered in Lovells Tuesday, June 5th.

enjoying a few days with her parents

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Rase returned to In this disease it is important that their home in Bay City after spending a short visit with his brother, Free ation easy, which can be done by give Rase and family.

Mr. Houghtby, a supreme member Mrs. P. H. Martin, Peru, Ind., writes, of the A. O. O. G., held a very inter-'My two daughters had whooping esting meeting with the Lovells Arbor couch I gave them Chamberlain's last week Wednesday. Everybody en-Confer Remedy and it worked like a joyed his lecture, as it was a very in tructive one. He expects to be pres ent again June 18th at the Arbor's regular meeting.

Last Thursday morning about 3:00 o'clock, the house of Mr. and Mrs. Nephew, and all its contents was completely destroyed by fire. It is supposed the lamp to a chicken brooder. to the Nephew family, as he had no nsurance. The family are staying at Mrs. Joe Duby, until another house can be erected.

Coy News. H. C. Newton and family were callers at the home of O. B. Scott Thurs-

dayevening The many friends of Hubbard Head are sorry to hear he is not improving

from his sickness very fast. Miss Margnetit. Scott spent a few days-with-Miss Il. tie Overmyer-near

Mrs. Geo. Royce was a caller at the home of Joseph Royce. Mrs. Sophia McGillis returned Sat-

arday from a visit with her daughter. Mrs. Albert Charron of Frederic. Miss Beth Waterman, teacher at

Eldorado, spent a few days with Miss E. B. Hollowell purchased a new

ord last week. Q. B. Scott and wife were callers at-

the home of H. C. Newton Sunday Highway Commissioner James Williams is doing some road work on the

sec ion line between section 30 and 31 Vernon-Scott spent Monday even ing with his brother, O. B. Scott-James Peterson, while putting up

a clothes line Saturday received a him to raise about two feet from the ground, and nearly scared the old rooster to death, but no serious damage was done either to Jim or the

Eldorado Nuggets.

Fred Brooks finished his term of school in the Weber district and returned to his home in Fairview last

attended. A good patriotic program was rendered by members of the Club and school. Rev. Ira Kinney of Roscommon was the speaker of the day, and gave a fine address on the duties of citizenship. A pot luck supper was served after which the school house was given over to the young people, who proceeded to have a jolly time dancing. Later all went home, tired, but happy. The next meeting of the Club will be held Saturday evening, June 16th. Subject, "Revolutionary War."

Mr. Hubbard Head is still ill, his condition being reported as no better.

Mr. and Mrs. William Deeter and daughter, Helen, and Mrs. and Mrs. and Mrs. and Mrs. and Mrs. and Mrs. of the streets or public places within said village, or to drive the safe within the center line of Ogemaw street, the center line of Chestnut street, and the Michelgan Ce

C. Hagaman were entertained at the

Hartman home Sunday. Miss Beth Waterman, feacher. of ur school, spent the week end with

Miss Marguerite Scott of Coy. News has just been received here of the enlistment in the 31st Michigan,

of one of our former neighbor boys Harry J. Kellogg of Detroit. Burton Williams, who for some time

has been employed near Mio, spent

Has a Good Opinion of Chamberlain's Tablets,

Council Proceedings.

A special meeting of the common council of the Village of Grayling convened at the Town hall Monday eventem. Trustees present: Jorgenson, Milks, Roberts, Lewis, McCullough and Canfield. Absent-None.

Finance Committee's report read, to

To the President and members of

he Common Conneil: Your committee on Finance, Claims and Accounts recommend that we and it gave them immediate relief." raise the following proportions of taxes for the ensuing year, on the total valnation of the Village, per assessor's

report, to wit:.. 30.100 of 1% for Contingent Fund. 35.100 of 1% for Highway Fund.

5.100 of 1% for Sewer Fund. Respectfully submitted. W. Jorgenson,

A. L. Roberts, Committee. F. H. Milks,

Moved by Jorgenson and supported by McCullough. that the report be accepted, and appropriations made accordingly. Motion carried.

Moved by Roberts and supported by Lewis that we adjourn. Motion car-

T. P. Peterson. Village Clerk.

Mr. Ambrose Cross Mr. and Mrs. A. McClain Mrs. C. F. LaRue.

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ding me of the complaint."

Price 50c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that to sell the interest of said estate in Mrs. Serven uses, Foster-Milburn Co. Props., Buffalo. N. Y.

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An Ordinance relative to regulating the use of bicycles, motorcycles, roller skates and carts in the village of Grayling, Michigan; and to provide penalties for violations thereof.

The Village of Grayling ordains

The Village of Grayling ordains:
Section 1.—All persons using bicycles, matorcycles, roller skates and
carts within the Village of Grayling
shall conform to the rules in this ordinance set forth.

Section 2.—Bicycles shall not be
driven upon the sidewalks in said Village at a speed greater than five miles
an hour and neither bicycles nor motorcycles shall be driven at other places in said village at a speed greater
than ten miles per hour.

The Flag Pole raising held at the Section 3.—Bicycles and Roller Eidorado School House under the ans-skates, shall not be driven, nor carts pices of the Literary Club was well coasted on any sidewalk within the attended. A good patriotic program was rendered by members of the Club.

two persons to fide abreast thereon. Section 6.—It shall be unlawful for two persons to fide at the same time a bicycle or motorcycle built for one

person.
Section 7.—Any person or persons who shall violate any of the provisions of this ordinance shall be fined not less than one dollar nor more than one hundred dollars or imprisoned in the County jail—or the Detroit House of Correction for a period of nor more than instant days or both, in the disthan ninety days or both, in the dis-cretion of the court, for every such violation.

Section 8.—This Ordinance shall

take effect twenty days from the day take effect—twomy of its passage. Passed, ordained and ordered pub-lished this fourth day of June, 1917. T. P. Peterson, Willage Clerk

T. P. Pe C. A. Canfield, Villa Village President Pro Tem Village Clerk

Cholera Morbus.

This is a very painful and danger ous disease. In almost every neighborhood some one has died from it being, May 28, 1917. Meeting called to fore medicine could be obtained or a order by C. A. Canfield, president pro physician summoned. The right way is to have a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic and Diarrhoea remedy in the house so as to be prepared for it. Mrs. Charles Enyeart, Huntington, Ind., writes: "During the summer of 1911 two of my children were taken sick with cholera morbus. I used Chamberlain's Colic and Diarrhoea remedy

> State of Michigan. The Circuit Court for the County of Crawford. In Chancery.
>
> Della Sullendar, Complainant,

John Sullendar, Defendant

John Sullengar, Derendant.
Suit pending in the Circuit Court
for the County of Crawford in Chancery, at the Village of Grayling in
said County, on the 14th day of May,
A. D. 1917.

In this cause it appearing from affi-In this cause it appearing from affidavit on file, that the defendant John Sullendar is a resident of this State, but his present residence cannot be ascertained, after careful inquiry and search, so that process for his appearance cannot be served, though duly issued and returned, not served. On motion of O. Palmer, complainant's solicitor it is ordered that the said defendant John Sullendar cause his appearance to be entered herein, his appearance to be entered herein, within three months from the date of within three months from the date of this order and in case of his appearance that he cause his answer to the complainant on the G.A.R. ladies, the Rebekah ladies, and the neighbors and friends for the many acts of kindness, and the sympathy shown us during our late bereavement.

Mr. Ambrose Cross.

defendant.

And it is Further Ordered, That And it is Further Ordered, That within twenty days the said complainant-cause a notice of this order to be published in the Crawford Avalanche a newspaper printed, published and circulating in said County, and that such publication be continued therein at least once in each week for six weeks in succession, or that she cause a copy of this order to be personally served on said defendant at least twenty days before the time above prescribed for his appearance.

Solicitor for Complainant.

Probate Notice.

The Probate Court for the County of Crawford At a session of said court, held at the Probate Office in the Village of Grayling in said county, on the 16th day of May, A. D.: 1917.

of Probate.

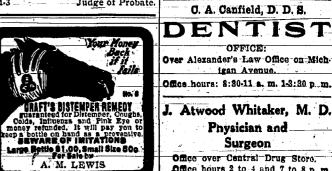
certain real estate therein described, and personal property at private sale. It is ordered, that the 16th day of June, A. D. 1917, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition, and that said John J. Riess and all persons interested in said estate appear before said court at said time and place, to show cause

not be granted;
It is further ordered that public no tice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order for three suc-cessive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Crawford Avalanche. a newspaper, printed and circulated in said county.

OSCAR PALMER

A true copy.

OSCAR PALMER, Judge of Probate



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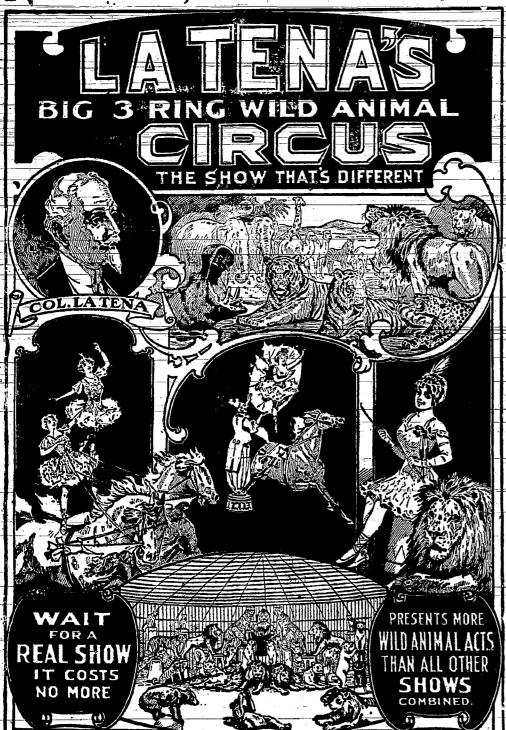
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